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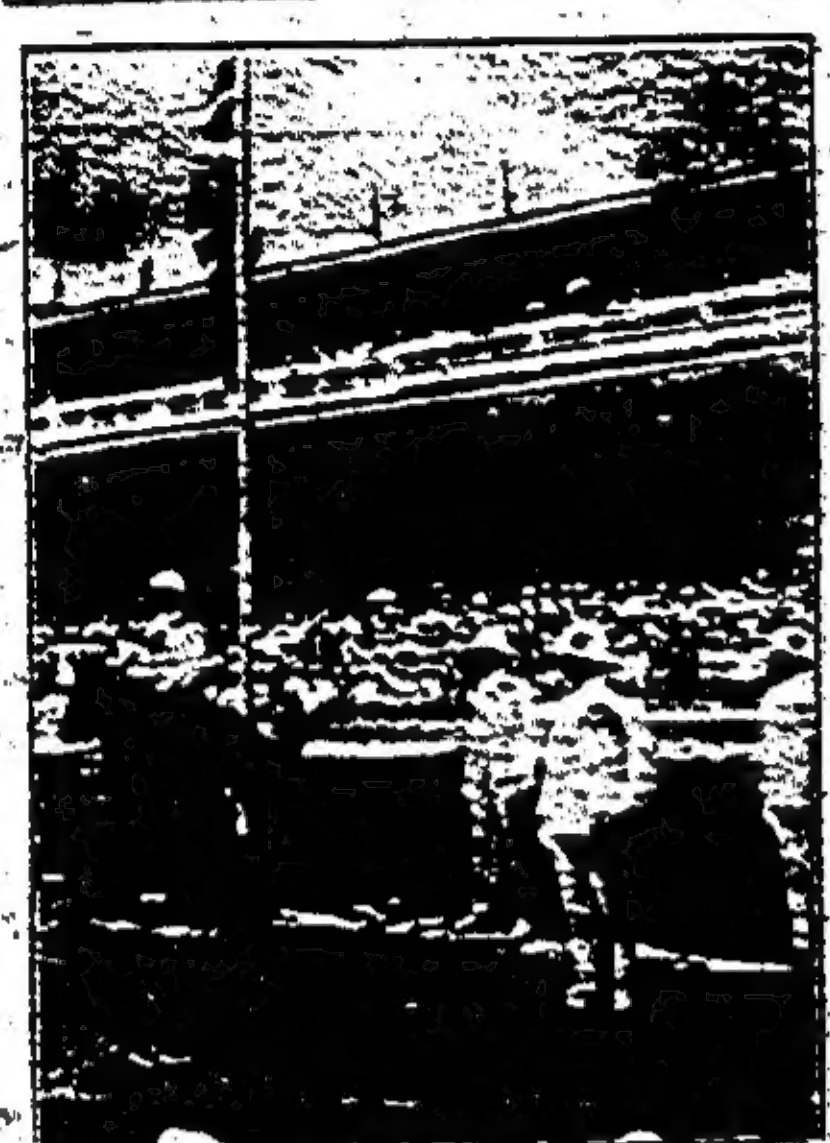
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PREMIER'S POLICY UPHOLD DURING FOREIGN AFFAIRS DEBATE

ARMS TRAFFIC BY EUROPEAN NATIONS TO ABYSSINIA MAY LEAD TO TURMOIL IN AFRICA



Officers at the Saluting Base during yesterday's Jubilee Parade at the Valley. (King's Studio)

KING AND QUEEN SPEND QUIET DAY AT THE PALACE

NO SIGNS OF ILL EFFECTS

HER MAJESTY VISITS THE WEST END

London, To-day. Their Majesties the King and Queen spent yesterday quietly at Buckingham Palace, and it was authoritatively stated that neither had suffered any ill effects from the strain and excitement of Jubilee Day.

Yesterday afternoon the Queen went for a drive in the West End and was heartily cheered by the crowd which had continued throughout the day in the neighbourhood of the Palace.

Many members of the Royal Family, including the King's uncle, the Duke of Connaught, called at the Palace and saw their Majesties, afterwards inspecting many beautiful Jubilee presents received from personal friends.

ARDUOUS PROGRAMME

Their Majesties still have an arduous programme of engagements ahead of them extending over a fortnight or three weeks. To-day the King will drive to St. James' Palace.

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HIGH TRIBUTE PAID TO POLICE

King's Message To London Commissioner

London, To-day. London's celebrations, which continued until the early hours of the morning, when many of the streets, both in the East and the West End, were filled with singing and dancing crowds, were resumed last evening when more sightseers came to inspect the decorations and the charming floodlighting effects in the parks and on the main buildings.

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JUBILEE TRUST FUND TOTAL \$548,888

London, To-day. The donations to King George's Jubilee Trust, now exceed \$548,888. Sir Charles Hyde, proprietor of the Birmingham Post and other newspapers, has contributed \$30,000 worth of railway stock.

PACIFIST POLICY JEOPARDISED

MUSSOLINI WILL NOT TOLERATE PRESENT SITUATION

WARNING BY ITALIAN FOREIGN OFFICE

Rome, To-day.

A Foreign Office spokesman emphasised that the important question with regard to Abyssinia was that arms were being imported in large quantities, mostly machine-guns. "The European nations," he said, "are furnishing arms to natives ordered to shoot down white Italian citizens. It is essential, therefore, that Italy should be prepared. Signor Mussolini will not tolerate such a position."—Reuter.

A message from London states that Italy is still ready for a friendly settlement of the Abyssinian dispute and is willing to appoint members to a conciliation committee, but she is prepared to act as well as talk. Reuter has learned from Italian circles in London.

The Abyssinian resources according to some authorities amount to 900,000 rifles, 1500 machine-guns, seven tanks, and 300 field guns. In addition to the outstanding orders to European armament firms, and the country is reported to have 700,000 men mobilised.—Reuter.

Rome, Earlier.

An earlier message from Rome stated that Italy is entitled to see that attacks, such as those at Ual Ual and Afduh, are not repeated, declared Senor Lesona, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, in the Chamber yesterday. Italy wanted respect for the Treaty of 1928, so that her colonies in Africa might look to the future with tranquility.

He declared that Abyssinia, by the force of arms allowed them by the complacency of the European Powers, had destroyed three native kingdoms in the last 40 years and formed a large colony, where systematic slavery was practised.—Reuter.

TREATY OF LOCARNO BRITAIN TO STAND BY OBLIGATIONS

London, To-day.

In the House of Commons yesterday, asked whether it, in the event of any alteration by Germany in the demilitarised zone under the Treaty of Versailles, it was to be understood that Britain would immediately go to the assistance of France with the whole of her armed forces, as agreed under the Treaty of Locarno, Sir John Simon, the Foreign Secretary, said that the circumstances under the Treaty of Locarno would operate were specified in that Treaty itself.

As stated in the Anglo-Italian declaration embodied in the resolution of the Stresa Conference, the British Government stand by "all their obligations under the Treaty of Locarno, and intend should arise, faithfully to fulfil them."—British Wireless Service.

H.M.S. Cornwall returned to the Colony this morning from Amoy.

SHANGHAI "GOES BRITISH" ON JUBILEE DAY

Scenes At Northern Celebration

CITY OF ENCHANTMENT AT NIGHT

Shanghai, May 6.

Shanghai, most cosmopolitan of cities, "went British" completely to-day as foreigners of every nationality, as well as Chinese, joined in celebrating the 25th anniversary of the accession to the Throne of King George.

British flags were in evidence everywhere, fluttering gaily from the mast-heads of homes, clubs, banks and other commercial houses, while mercantile and naval ships in harbour were dressed from "bat-deaship row" off the Bund, to vessels at Woosung.

The first official event of the day was a service in the morning at the Holy Trinity Cathedral in the "form of prayer and of thanksgiving to Almighty God for the protection afforded to the King's Majesty during the twenty-five years of his auspicious reign."

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Dominion Premiers Discuss International Situation

London, To-day. — Further informal discussion on the international situation between the British Commonwealth Prime Ministers and the United Kingdom Ministers on the International situation took place at No. 10, Downing Street, yesterday. In addition to those who took part in the discussion on the last occasion, Mr. G. W. Forbes, Prime Minister of New Zealand, was present. There were also present the Dominion High Com-

missioners. A general interchange of views with regard to the whole international situation took place. On the British side there were present the Prime Minister, Messrs. Stanley Baldwin, Neville Chamberlain, J. H. Thomas, Sir John Simon and Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister. Further discussions will take place later. The Prime Minister of Canada, Mr. R. B. Bennett, returns to Ottawa on Friday. — British Wireless Service.

WYATT'S SECOND CENTURY

EXPENDITURE OF GOVERNMENT SHOWS DECREASE

Weekly Treasury Returns

London, To-day.

Treasury returns for the week ending May 4, show that total ordinary revenue amounted to \$58,613,706, as compared with \$59,932,587 for the corresponding week last year, while total ordinary expenditure amounted to \$52,775,296, as compared with \$50,206,713.—British Wireless Service.

U.S. ENTRY INTO WORLD COURT

Senator Pope's Speech In Senate

ACCEPTANCE ON CONDITIONS IS URGED

Washington, To-day.

The question of America's entry into the League of Nations has been revived by a resolution introduced into the Senate by Mr. James P. Pope, authorising the acceptance of membership by the United States on certain conditions, the chief of which are, firstly, that the provisions of the Covenant regarding co-operation to prevent war do not compel the United States to use armed force, and secondly, that the decision as to what action shall be

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TEST SKIPPER CARRIES BAT AT EDGECASTON

GLAMORGAN BEAT SUSSEX

SINFELD AND SANDHAM REACH THREE FIGURES

London, To-day.

R. E. S. Wyatt who was at first not expected to be able to play this season on account of a fractured jaw sustained in the West Indies, signalled his complete recovery by scoring his second successive century of the season on Saturday, being 103 not out against Gloucester, following his three-figure innings against Surrey in the opening match at Lord's.

Sussex, who have been one of the leading contenders for county championship honours during the past three seasons, started their season disastrously, with a defeat at the hands of the mediocre Glamorgan eleven at Cardiff. (Continued on Col. 7)

NAVAL OFFICERS HONOURED

Silver Jubilee Medal Award

CHINA STATION LIST

In the name of the King His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to award the King's Silver Jubilee Medal to the following officers and men of the Royal Navy in recognition of their loyal and valuable services to the Empire:—Admiral Sir Frederick C. Dreyer, K.C.B., C.B.E., C. in C. China Station; Rear Admiral F. G. C. Clifton, C. B.; Rear Admiral Fancize, Captain C. G. Sedgwick, Commodore H. K., Captain E. M., Captains A. D. C., H. M. S., Suffol, Captains B. H. Davies, V. C., D. S. O., H. M. S., Cornwall, Captain W. P., Mark Warkley, D.S.O., Commodore Singapore, Captain R. B. D. S. C., E. M. S., Berwick, Captain W. H. Call, D.S.O., H. M. S., Adventure, Captain A. J. Hammett, H. M. S., Duncan, Captain, The "Hood" Frigate, D. R. D. (Continued on Page 7)

HITLER'S STATEMENT EAGERLY AWAITED

GERMANY'S TURN TO MAKE PROPOSALS

LORDS' SYMPATHETIC ATTITUDE TOWARDS REICH

London, To-day.

Sympathy for Germany and approval of Ramsay MacDonald's recent declaration of policy were shown by several speakers at the debate on foreign affairs in the House of Lords.

Replying to a question on the subject, Lord Stanhope recalled Sir John Simon's declaration of last week that Germany could re-establish a feeling of security in Europe by acts not words, and he said that the Government fervently hoped that Reichsfuehrer Hitler's promised statement on foreign policy next week would be the prelude to such constructive action on Germany's part as would translate into action Herr Hitler's frequently proclaimed desire for peace.

With regard to the suggestion that the Government should re-constitute the Disarmament Conference, Lord Stanhope said that it seemed impossible at the moment for Britain to submit figures for the land forces in Europe likely to be agreed upon.

If Herr Hitler could give us figures well said good. Let Germany submit definitive proposals and let us see if we could get the proposals for an air pact on the same basis as the land forces. The Government drafted the air pact from its own information and there was no doubt that France and Italy had done the same.

"Let us communicate them to each other, and let us get one from Germany and see if Germany can submit practical proposals that will enable to resume the negotiations. Germany did not like the Eastern Pact and some other pronouncements. Let her propose others and see if we can get agreement on them."

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COLONY TRANSPORT INCREASES

60,000 Travel By Buses On Jubilee Day

The Colony's three largest transport concerns, the "Tramway Co., the Star Ferry Co., and the China Motor Bus Co., all reveal that they had a record day last Monday, the opening day of the local Jubilee celebrations.

No less than 50,000 people were carried by the motor buses on the island, while it is officially learned that trams carried double the passengers they do on normal days.

"This is ever more remarkable when one considers that all public vehicles were held up for almost five hours when the procession was under way.

A reliable report states that over 85,000 people, excluding ticket-holders, crossed the Harbour on the day of the Jubilee. Joyriders seeking to gain an undisturbed view of the fire-works and searchlight displays were in some measure responsible for this amazing total.

SIR ROBERT HO TUNG GIVES \$1,000 TO QUEEN'S COLLEGE

Sir Robert Ho Tung has generously offered to donate the sum of \$1,000 for the renovation of the old paintings and frames in the Hall of Queen's College. These paintings include members of the Royal Family, distinguished "Old Boys" and members of the College staff. Among them are portraits of the late King George V, and the late Queen Mary. — (Continued on Page 7)

200,000 FACE STARVATION

SERIOUS SITUATION IN ILLINOIS

RELIEF DEPOTS CLOSED

500 DEMONSTRATORS MARCH ON CAPITAL

Springfield, Ill., To-day.

A serious situation has developed and 200,000 men, women and children in various parts of Illinois are facing starvation as the result of closing down of the relief depots. Five hundred demonstrators marched on the State capital to demand that the depots be opened for work.

The trouble began when the State authorities refused to supply of Illinois's contribution to the relief funds. Mr. Hopkins, the Federal relief administrator, ordered the depots to be closed.

A committee representing the demonstrators presented the State legislature with a demand for appropriation of the necessary funds. Governor Harnett informed the committee that the only hope of getting the funds was the passage of two Bills through the legislature whereby the sales tax would be increased from two to three cents, producing \$3,000,000 a month.

The Republican minority nominees that it will oppose any increase in the sales tax and refuse to give the Bills the necessary two-thirds majority.—Reuter.

SIR AMBROSE FLEMING WINS CALVIN AWARD

London, To-day.—A high tribute was paid to Sir Ambrose Fleming, the 80-year-old inventor of the thermionic wireless tube when the Postmaster-General presented him with the royal Calvin Medal on behalf of the Institute for Electrical Research, Reuter.

WEATHER REPORT

A range of moderately high pressure extends from the upper Yangtze valley across south-east China and the Eastern Sea to the Pacific coast of Japan. A depression is situated near Vladivostok with secondary depression to the west of Chefoo. High and overcast. The local forecast for to-day is issued by the Royal Observatory, this morning, was: "winds moderate, fine."

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SPORT NOTICES
THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

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Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on **THURSDAY, 9th May, 1935**.
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THE SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 22nd May 1935, both days inclusive.
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Hong Kong, 1st May, 1935.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the **ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING** of the Society will be held at the **HEAD OFFICE**, Union Building, Hong Kong, on **FRIDAY, 24th MAY, 1935**, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1934, and of declaring Dividend, etc.

The **TRANSFER BOOKS** of the Society will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 24th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 30th April, 1935.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS
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The **TRANSFER BOOKS** of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 24th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
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By Order of the Board,
A. W. HUGHES,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 30th April, 1935.

BRIDGE NOTES
A Misleading Lead
by Ely Culbertson

People who think the millennium is at hand do not make wills, and a good Bridge player on lead against a slam contract does not bother much about giving his partner information that will enable him to make the right leads later in the hand, for it is very probable that his partner will have no leads to make. The declarer is the one who will be making the leads, and he is the one to whom the opening leader should give information—in information that will prepare him to make the wrong ones. Thus in leading against a slam the criteria which holds in leading against a game or part-score contract should often be discarded in favour of deceiving the declarer, as they were by the West player in the following hand:

South, Dealer
Both sides vulnerable
North:
S—K 10 7 3 2
H—K 8
D—A Q J 4
C—K 9
West:
S—
H—9 7 6 4 3
D—9 8 3 2
C—J 8 3 2
East:
S—Q 9 6
H—A 10 2
D—10 7 5
C—10 6 5 4
South:
S—A J 8 5 4
H—Q J 5
D—K 6
C—A Q 7

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).
South: 1 S Pass West: 3 D (1) Pass
3 S (2) Pass 4 S Pass
4 NT Pass 5 S (3) Pass
6 S (4) Pass Pass
1—A slightly shaded forcing take-out, justified by the fine spade support.

2—South's spade suit is, strictly speaking, not rebiddable. However, South is too strong to bid only three no-trump and does not want to leap into a conventional and forcing four-no-trump bid, without first having found out in what suit a fit exists.

3—North has not the two Aces needed to respond with five no-trump, but is willing to give the additional encouragement that a five-spade bid gives as opposed to five diamonds.
4—South naturally contracts for the slam anyway. The forcing takeout and the spade assists have made South decide to contract for at least six.

Against the slam contract, the West hand obviously has no normal lead. Because North did not bid five no-trump over four no-trump, West knew that some high card, which North and South obviously lacked, must be held by East. The chief hope of defeating the contract lay in his partner's ability to win a spade trick in addition, which possibility showed itself to West because of his own void in spades. Finally deciding that a neutral lead in the heart suit would be the best, West's only thought was possibly to mislead the declarer as to his distribution. Accordingly, instead of making his sound and normal fourth-best lead of the heart four, West led the nine-spot—the top card of the five-card suit. Most unusual and unconventional, but, as will be seen, it worked.

After East won the first trick with the Ace of hearts, and returned a club, South realised that his contract was safe if he could void the loss of a trump trick. He further saw that to postpone drawing trumps could not hold him. The only way a trump trick could be lost was, if one of the opponents held three to the Queen, by first leading a high honour from the wrong hand. Having no other way of telling which of the two opponents was most likely to be void in spades, the South player came to the natural decision that, since West's opening lead indicated shortness in hearts, it was slightly more probable that West, rather than East, held three cards in the spade suit. As a result of this reasoning South decided to lay down his spade Ace first. Of course, when West showed out, the North and South cause was lost and the slam contract had to go down one trick.

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Amusements
Cinema Notes
"ROYAL CAVALCADE"—KING'S THEATRE

"Royal Cavalcade," a chronicle of King George's 25 years as ruler of the British Empire, is the King's Theatre's Jubilee offer to the film public. This film has been simultaneously released throughout the Empire.
Scene follows scene in quick succession. Most of them were taken from newreels. Millions of people have shared his 25 years of reign, and, like his poorest subject, he has known all the sorrows and joys to which man is heir. This film clearly demonstrates the love and loyalty always shown by the myriads of people who are virtually under his care.
The innumerable great events shown will make every Briton thrill with pride, and some of them will re-live the scenes in which they themselves have participated. The picture faithfully records 25 years of history, and it should be the duty of every British citizen to see it at least once.

"CHARLIE CHAN IN PARIS"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

The latest adventures of the famous Chinese detective, Charlie Chan, take place in Paris, and they can be witnessed "at the Queen's Theatre to-day in "Charlie Chan in Paris," which is being shown in conjunction with a special Jubilee short "The King, God Bless Him." Menaced by a secret enemy, a girl, Mary Brian, is called a murderer until Charlie is called into the case to establish her innocence. How he follows every clue, attaching the greatest importance to even the most trivial, makes thrilling entertainment, and few, if any, will select the real criminal until Chan finally discloses his or her identity.

"DEVIL DOGS OF THE AIR"—CENTRAL THEATRE

James Cagney and Pat O'Brien are both capable of carrying a picture through alone—and it is usually a good picture too. When they do get together in one picture—the only other picture of this kind being "Here Comes The Navy," released here a short time ago, it is bound to be a laugh riot. The present attraction at the Central Theatre certainly proves this theory. "Devil Dogs of the Air" is one of the finest pictures of its kind to reach Hong Kong lately, and its production was only made possible by the co-operation of the U.S. Air Force. Combat equipment stated to have been worth some \$750,000,000 was assembled to make the picture. Supporting O'Brien and Cagney are Margaret Lindsay and Frank McHugh.

"IT HAPPENED ONE NIGHT"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

After the story of Cinderella, the story of the taming of the shrew is perhaps the most popular with film producers. The shrew of "It Happened One Night" is the spoilt daughter of a millionaire. She is not very shrewish, and her pride is soon defeated by Clark Gable in the character of a newspaper reporter whose pride in his integrity is greater than his heiress's pride in her wealth and position.

Claudette Colbert makes the heiress an appealing and spirited girl. Walter Connolly appears as the snuffy-tyrannical father. "It Happened One Night" is a Columbia production.

"DOCTOR X"—ALHAMBRA THEATRE

There have been so many pictures with something about "X" in their titles that it is apt to be con-

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Neither has it anything to do with blackmail, although, as everyone knows, this is the usual way of describing someone whose identity must not be disclosed. It is a plain, straightforward thriller, featuring Lionel Atwill, one of the many British actors who have gone to Hollywood and made good, and Fay Wray, the girl who successfully screamed her way through several miles of the "King Kong" films.
It is good entertainment, with commendable acting throughout.

"WAKE UP AND DREAM"—MAJESTIC THEATRE

This is the last opportunity those who admire the singing of the late Russ Columbo will have of hearing him as this was his final picture before his tragic and untimely death.
He will be remembered here by

"CAVALCADE"—STAR THEATRE

Noel Coward's world famous classic comes to the Star Theatre for one day only and those who have not already seen this outstanding film should not miss this opportunity.
It is the story of a woman's life told from the Boer War, through the Great War up to the present day. Reminiscences will be pleasant to a few, but to many who suffered as this woman suffered, through the terrible days of the War, they will hurt.
One of her sons goes down with the Titanic, her husband is a distinguished soldier and her other son joins the Colours at the outbreak of hostilities.
Every detail has been most assiduously brought into the picture which features Diana Wynyard, Clive Brook, and Frank Lawton.

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"SILVER JUBILEE—HAVE YOU PAID YOUR DOLLAR?"

WOMEN HATE THIS MAN.

Statue Of "Civic Virtue" Removed

New York.

The women have at last won their "war" against a statue here. Ever since it was unveiled in 1922, women's organisations have been clamouring for the removal of the large male statue entitled "Civic Virtue," which stands before the City Hall.

Now it has been decided to have the statue removed to a less conspicuous site.

The figure is pictured trampling on the prostrate Vices—and the Vices are represented by the figures of women.

FOREST PLANTING IN JEHO

The Jehol provincial government has completed plans for a five-year afforestation programme and 250,000 saplings.

700,000 from Korea and 150,000 donated by the Kwangtung bureau in Changchun, have reached Lingyuan to await distribution to six districts.

Sporting Page

BRILLIANT ARRAY OF DARK BLUE BATSMEN FOR THIS SEASON

GREAT GOLF ACTIVITY IN JUBILEE YEAR

IMPORTANT FIXTURES TO FOLLOW EACH OTHER

STRONG U.S. CHALLENGE IN OPEN

London. King George's Jubilee Year promises to provide one of the busiest seasons that British golfers have ever known. Major play started on March 26 with the opening of the annual Oxford-Cambridge match at Burnham and Berrow, and between April and the end of June important events follow each other in rapid succession, culminating with the open championship at Muirfield.

Last year the British open was won by a Britisher for the first time since 1923, and great interest will lie this season in Henry Cotton's efforts to retain his title. One understands that his duties as professional at the Waterloo Club, in Belgium, will prevent Cotton from taking part in ordinary money-prize tournaments, prior to the big event of the season.

A strong challenge in the "open" from the United States is hoped for. Details of the American cracks' intentions are not at hand; but Gene Sarazen, Macdonald Smith, Tom Armour, Leo Diegel, Horton Smith and Walter Hagen have been mentioned as probable entrants.

After all, Americans are entitled to feel something like a proprietary interest in the British "open," for it has been won by a golfer from the United States 10 times in the last 12 years—by Walter Hagen in 1924, 1928 and 1929; Jim Barnes in 1925; R. T. Jones Jr. in 1926, 1927 and 1930; T. D. Armour in 1931, Gene Sarazen in 1932 and Denmore Shute in 1933.

The British open amateur championship is scheduled for the week starting on May 20, on the course of the Royal Lytham and St. Anne's Club.

This championship is at present held by an American, W. Lawson Little Jr., a student from Stanford University, who made history last year by defeating his opponent James Wallace, of Troon, Scotland, in the final by the crushing margin of 14 and 15.

Canadians Are Competing
No other instance is known of such an overwhelming victory in a major tournament in either Britain or America. C. Ross Somerville, four times amateur champion of Canada, has announced his intention of competing this year, with seven of his countrymen. And, of course, an invasion from the United States is also expected.

May 23 will see the commencement of the British women's championship in Ireland at Newcastle, County Down, and on June 15, the spotlight will switch across the English Channel for the men's amateur match between England and France at La Bouille, Versailles.

"JUBILEE TROPHY" FOR GOLF

Anderson's Win Over Kowloon Course

In the special competition for the "Jubilee Trophy," played over the Kowloon Golf Club course during the week-end A. Anderson 77-44-68 and E. Black 78-15-68 tied for the coveted prize, but as Anderson returned a card with the best last nine holes he was duly presented with the trophy.

Others scores were:
J. G. Chaddock 83-46-67
R. Henderson 81-17-70
W. Ahern 83-15-70
The trophy which was presented by an anonymous member attracted a large entry.
E. Black returning a card of 1 up was successful in the Bogey Pool.

SNOOKER LEAGUE

R. E. SERGEANTS DEFEAT PRISON OFFICERS' MESS

DOCKYARD POLICE LOSE AGAIN

IMPORTANT GAME FOR THIS EVENING

Only two matches in the Steel, Coulson's Snooker League were played last night when the Chief and Petty Officers' Club defeated the Dockyard Police by the odd game in five, and the Prison Officers' Mess received a similar defeat on their own table at the hands of the Royal Engineers Sergeants' Mess.

The match between the Garrison Sergeants' Mess and the Central Police, which would have decided the leadership of the league, was postponed until to-night, while the one between the Catholic Union and the St. Patrick's Club was indefinitely postponed.

Warders Defeated
Although having to concede one game to the Prison Officers' Mess the Royal Engineers Sergeants' Mess managed to win the match by 3 games to 2. Capt. Regan, one of the strongest players for the Engineers, was unavoidably absent, and so his opponent, T. Fie, received a walk-over.

BOWLS RINKS FOR SATURDAY

K.C.C. And K.B.G.C. Select Their Teams

The following lawn bowls league teams have been selected:
K.C.C. (v. Craigengower "A" at Valley)
H. Hampton, J. W. M. Brown, R. P. Phillips, and A. E. Salkstone (skip).
P. G. Craig, W. Hyde, N. Bebbington, and A. Hyde (skip).
K.B.G.C. (v. K.C.C. at Valley)
J. S. Dinnen, W. W. Hirt, I. F. Lammert, and J. P. Robinson (skip).
M. N. Ralston, S. J. Houghton, I. Carr, and C. J. Teachi (skip).
W. Salkstone, A. Spary, J. M. Jack, and E. Overy (skip).
K.B.G.C. (v. K.C.C. at Valley)
P. Farrell, J. Toller, W. S. Drake, and A. Holland (skip).

MAX SCHMELING SIGNS FOR BOUT WITH MAX BAER

IN GERMANY OR IN ENGLAND

HOFFMAN SEEKS \$50,000 DEPOSIT

New York. Max Schmeling, the German boxer, has telegraphed Ancl Hoffman, manager for Max Baer, heavyweight champion of the world, that he has signed a contract with the German promoter Rothenberg to fight Baer, in Germany or England. Hoffman's comment on receipt of the message was: "I guess that winds up all thought of Schmeling fighting Baer in June in this country. If Rothenberg makes it good I can't see how we can refuse his offer."

The match is planned for August 17.

Baer has said he will not fight in Germany.

English Hopes Shattered!
Boxing experts here point out that London has never shown a bigger gate than \$27,000, and they are sceptical about the possibilities of a Schmeling-Baer match there.

Hoffman wants Rothenberg's \$50,000 deposited in a New York bank and hopes that the German promoter's agent, Charles Harvey, brought a cheque in the French liner Ile de France.

Hoffman says he is willing for Baer to fight in London, Vienna, or Rome.

BAER MAY RETIRE AFTER BRADDOCK FIGHT

Brother Buddy Baer Will Probably Succeed Him

St. Louis, Apr. 26. Max Baer, heavyweight champion of the world announced here to-day that he would probably retire after his forthcoming fight with James Braddock and his bout with Joe Louis, the latter being Primo Carner's opponent.

However, before his retirement, he admitted a possible bout with Max Schmeling whom he defeated at Madison Square Gardens, New York, in 1933. Baer said that his strapping young brother, Buddy, would probably succeed him for the heavyweight crown. Havana.

RAIN AGAIN HOLDS UP BASEBALL

CHICAGO NOSE OUT YANKEES

SENATORS TRIUMPH

New York, To-day. Only three American League baseball encounters featured yesterday's programme, the entire National League, including the double-header between the Cubs and the Giants, being postponed owing to rain.

In the American League, Chicago improved their position by nosing out the Yankees, while the Senators routed the Browns.

The clash between the Red Sox and the Indians was also postponed on account of the rain.

Results as cabled by Reuter, were:—

	R	H	E
American League			
New York.....	3	7	0
Tony Lazzeri hit a homer.			
Chicago.....	4	10	1
Washington.....	7	13	0
Buddy Myer hit a homer.			
St. Louis.....	3	9	2
Philadelphia.....	3	5	1
Moses hit a homer.			
Detroit.....	5	12	0
R. Duncan, F. L. Espley, J. C. Brown, and H. Nish (skip).			
A. S. Russell, L. Watson, J. Bolding, and L. Guy (skip).			
K.B.G.C. (v. K.C.C. at Valley)			
S. S. Bogle, L. A. E. Duncan, J. G. Chaddock, and G. E. F. Thompson (skip).			
I. G. Chambers, W. E. Hale, C. Hooking, and H. Rose (skip).			
J. G. Meyer, D. Waterton, M. J. Henderson, and C. Sheridan (skip).			



The New York Giants will fight hard this season to regain the prestige they lost last year when they slumped during the last weeks to let the St. Louis Cardinals nose them out for the pennant. Carl Hubbell, Jo-Jo Moore (top, r. and l.); Mel Ott and Bill Terry (below, l. and r.), will lead the attack.

TO-DAY'S SOCCER

LEAGUE SEASON FAST DRAWING TO CONCLUSION

EAST LANC'S MEET POLICE

RECREIO AND SOUTH CHINA "B" IN RETURN CLASH

There are three first division football games down for decision to-day, and the most interesting of these is the clash between the Police and the East Lancs.

The East Lancs are now a team that have to be treated with the utmost respect. They have beaten South China twice, and drew with the Club on Saturday and are quite able to, and probably will, upset the Police.

The Recreio meet the South China "B" in another encounter that will have a bearing on the runner-up position.

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The following is to-day's programme:

	FIRST DIVISION
South China "B" v. RECREIO	(Canaway Bay, 5.15 p.m.)
Police v. E. LANC'S	(Caroline Hill, 5.15 p.m.)
Police v. E. LANC'S	(Kowloon, 5.15 p.m.)

TRIVIO IN ALFA ROMEO WINS TARGA FLORIO

Palermo, Apr. 29.—The famous Targa Florio racing competition was held to-day at the Madonie autodrome, the winner being Trivio, in an Alfa Romeo car. Second was Caron, and third, Bardieri.

Blackpool Offer For The Baer-Schmeling Fight

New York.—Competition for the right to stage a Baer-Schmeling championship fight is still very strong.

It is reported that the bout will take place in England during August Bank Holiday week. Baer's manager, Mr. Ancl Hoffman, is quoted as having accepted a \$50,000 offer by the North Regional Film Corporation, of Blackpool.



CHAMPIONS TO PLAY REST AT SOCCER

Opposing Elevens Selected

TWO ENCOUNTERS NEXT SATURDAY

The teams to represent the Rest against the Champions of the First and Second Divisions of the Football League were selected at a meeting held last night.

The matches will be played on the Club ground on Saturday. The first game will be between the Lincoln, Second Division champions, and the Rest and South China "A" will play a team chosen from the Rest in the second game.

At the conclusion of the games the trophies of the three divisions will be presented by Lady Southern O.B.E.

The following are the teams:
Versus the Lincolns:
Harmworth (East Lancs); Slack (Engineers) Dudley (Buckingham); King Kay (Eastern); McElroy (Fusiliers) (Capt.); Ezeckly (East Lancs); Cheng Sui Hong (Eastern); Sullivan (Fusiliers); Duncan (Club); Howlett (Engineers); M. Subhan (Eastern).
Reserves—Sellick (Engineers); Lai Ting Chai (Eastern); Ellis (Fusiliers); Hunt (Engineers); Fowler (Club); Singleton (Fusiliers); Cragg (Engineers).
Versus South China:
Rodger (Club); Mok Sui Hon (Athletic); A. V. Gossno (Capt.) (Recreio); Robertson (Club); McQuinn (Navy); Ellis (Kowloon); B. Gossno (Recreio); A. Ward (St. Joseph's); A. Howe (Club); Moss (Police); Bickford (Club).
Reserves—Wheeler (Fusiliers); Love (Navy); Gomes (Recreio); Kellings (East Lancs); Ho Kue Kung (Athletic).

CRICKETING HOPES AT OXFORD

THE YOUNGER PLAYERS' OPPORTUNITY

CAPTAIN'S VERY USEFUL LEGACY

IT is almost certain that Oxford University will have a strong cricket side this year, that is providing the players do not treat the game too seriously.

The season of 1935 is the young players' greatest opportunity and the universities will be expected to set the example and to prove that English cricket is still a game of enterprise and adventure.

At Oxford hope runs high with the splendid material available. D. F. Walker, the new captain though not so brilliant as his predecessor, F. G. H. Chalk, probably has a better cricket brain and a stronger flair for leadership.

SHANGHAI RACE CLUB'S ANNUAL SPRING MEET

MR. WADE'S FIVE FIRSTS

MR. V. V. NEEDA WINS CLASSIC EVENT

Shanghai, Yesterday. Leslie (Bob) Wade, son of the former Shanghai lawn tennis champion, and interconnector, topped the winning jockeys' list at the third day's meeting of the Shanghai Race Club's Spring meeting with five firsts.

V. V. Needa, who is well known on the local course, won the classic event of the meeting, the 1935 Sub-Griffins Derby over 1½ miles on Dun Moth.

The following were the results, as cabled by Reuter:

The Yangtze Stakes—1 mile
"Serenade" (Mr. Marshall)
"Blue Peter" (Mr. Needa)
"Playhouse" (Mr. Sokoloff)
Time: 2 mins. 03-4/5 sec.
The Hart Legacy Cup—½ mile
"Frosty" (Mr. Moller)
"Mack" (Mr. Judah)
"Cricket" (Mr. Needa)
Time: 57-4/5 sec.

The Racing Handicap—Eleven Furlongs
"Sternfield" (Mr. Wade)
"Grange" (Mr. Raymond)
"Lucky Moon" (Mr. Sparks)
Time: 2 mins. 54-2/5 sec.
The Euboea Plate—One Mile and a Quarter
"Silas Wegg" (Mr. Wade)
"Bitter Sweet" (Mr. Maitland)
"White Jubilee" (Mr. Pote-Hunt)
Time: 2 minutes 41-1/5th seconds.
The Chief Handicap—One Mile and a Quarter
"A" Class—
"Lachlan" (Mr. Wade)
"Yehon" (Mr. Judah)
"Necker" (Mr. Neugebauer)
Time: 2 minutes 43-4/5th seconds.
"B" Class—
"Dalkin" (Mr. Judah)
"Sapper" (Mr. Raymond)
"Ben Butler" (Mr. Robertson)
Time: 2 minutes 49-2/5th seconds.
The 1935 Sub-Griffins Derby (Classic)—1½ miles
"Don Moth" (Mr. Needa)
"Kin-Ora" (Mr. Eucarnaco)
"What Time" (Mr. Pote-Hunt)
Time: 2 minutes 25-3/5th seconds.
The Chinese Plate—Seven furlongs
"Don Guelermo" (Mr. Wade)
"Balika" (Mr. Maitland)
"Ruddy Morn" (Mr. Marshall)
Time: 1 minute 48 seconds.

The Nippon Stakes—One Mile and a Quarter
"Clipping Morn" (Mr. Clark)
"Rocky Light" (Mr. Moller)
"Vachero" (Mr. Kilmartin)
Time: 2 minutes 32-4/5th seconds.
The Chinese Handicap—One Mile and a Half
"White Emperor" (Mr. Wade)
"Happy Lad" (Mr. Eucarnaco)
"The Golden Eagle" (Mr. Holgate)
Time: 2 minutes 10-4/5th seconds.
The Newmarket Plate—One Mile
"New Deal Morn" (Mr. Marshall)
"Floral" (Mr. Gossno)
"Pyeon" (Mr. Palmer)
Time: 2 minutes 11-1/5th seconds.
The Gifford Stakes—Half Mile
"Twins" (Mr. Needa)
"Calico" (Mr. Clark)
"Prince of Statesman" (Mr. John Spark)
Time: 58-3/5th seconds.

N. S. Mitchell-Innes, of Somerset, is the secretary, and other old Blues in residence are J. W. Seamer, F. C. de Saram, A. P. Singleton, E. L. T. Jackson, and N. S. Knight. Three first-rate batsmen, a good all-rounder, a slow bowler of great promise, and a wicketkeeper with an unassuming style.

Then there are A. R. Legard, the slow bowler of two seasons ago, and J. H. Dyson, who after being picked last season, unaccountably lost his place. If Dyson could cultivate spin he would be an almost certain choice.

A Useful Legacy

With many such cricketers as the members of the side, Walker has a very useful legacy.

Several of the Seniors are ready to take advantage of a slip by one of the more fancied candidates. As batsmen there are C. de Innes, the West Indian, who has not yet done justice to his undoubted ability, A. M. Lee, who has played for Hampshire, A. Benn (Harrow), L. T. Burrows, the Jamaican Soccer Blue, Sir de Villiers-Graft (South Africa), M. E. Barton (Winchester), R. Fullbrook (Harrow), A. A. Duncan, J. G. Halliday, and C. F. Griev, the Rugby Blue. All these players are good enough to force their way into the team.

Oxford need bowlers more than batsmen. Among the Seniors, as slow bowlers, there are J. H. L. Aubrey-Fletcher, S. M. Kimpton, G. Parthasarati, J. T. Burrows, and N. Cohen. All these can spin a ball and Parthasarati bowls the "roogy".
Faster bowlers include J. T. Reese, J. A. Brittain, I. N. R. Shield, and H. T. H. Snowden, who as a Freshman last year took six wickets in one innings.

Prominent Freshmen

Newcomers likely to make their mark are M. W. Walford, a hockey Blue; E. West, also from Rugby; T. G. L. Ballance (Uppingham); R. H. Angelo, the best cricketer at Westminster; J. L. Field (Charterhouse); and J. N. Grover, Winchester's clever wicketkeeper.

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CIVIL SERVICE BOWLS

Teams For Saturday Selected

The following will represent the Civil Service Cricket Club senior and junior bowls teams on Saturday, against the Craigengower "B" and the Yacht Club, respectively:

Senior team:
T. Armstrong, C. Strange, G. Mc Gowan and A. Grinnitt (Skip).
J. Gellatly, E. W. Simmonds, J. Deakin and F. Jones (Skip).
P. E. Knight, E. Alderman, S. Eccleshall and J. Boulding (Skip).
Junior team:
F. Harper, W. Burling, H. Westlake, H. Westlake-Son (Skip).
H. Major, E. W. Hamilton, L. Whant and E. R. Davies (Skip).
B. Williams, W. Butler, J. Purvis and A. O. Brown (Skip).

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EPH SMITH: THE NEW GORDON RICHARDS

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LEARNED TO RIDE ON A DONKEY

(By KEYSTONE)

London, April 16.

TWENTY-Seven-Years-Old Eric Eph Smith, an apprentice who learned to ride on a donkey, rode a 10-1 winner in Cnversion at Liverpool, and thus brought his tally to a winner every day of the week.

E. Smith began by winning the very first race of the season on Ellenborough at Lincoln. Then followed successes on Tetrazone, Flamenço (the Lincolnshire Handicap), Cyrus, and Sea Bequest. Gordon Richards had only three winners during the week.

Young Smith was christened Eric Eph, but doesn't like the Eric and prefers to be called Eph—a family name and not an abbreviation of Ephraim.

It was on his father's farm at Shottesbrooke, a village near Maidenhead, that he learned to ride. His first mount was a donkey, and then he passed on to ponies and hunters.

While still a schoolboy he won prizes in the show-ring at Olympia and Richmond.

Mr. Oliver Dixon, the Reading horse dealer, first suggested to Smith's father that the boy should be sent to a racing stable.

He Beat Gordon

Major F. Sneyd trained two horses for Mr. Dixon at the time, and he quickly realised that Eric Eph was born to be a rider of distinction. He indentured the boy seven years, and remains his master until May of next season.

A month after becoming apprenticed young Smith was given a mount in public. He did not win, but before long success came to him in spectacular fashion. At Windsor—within a few miles of his village home—he won his first victory on Red Queen, beating the mount of Gordon Richards by a short head. His father was there to cheer him.

Then came further honours. The Newmarket trainer Mr. J. L. Jarvis, who trains for many wealthy patrons, wanted a light-weight jockey as a deputy for H. Wragg, as Wragg's weight frequently debarrs him from riding in certain races.

Smith—still serving his time in another stable—was invited to fill the breach. Major Sneyd willingly agreed, and very soon the boy began to demonstrate his ability on the horses trained by Mr. Jarvis.

His riding, under expert tuition and as instinctive wish to make good, improved week by week.

When, because of an accident, H. Wragg was unable to ride for months, Smith was given the mounts.

First Jockey

Now this boy who weighs no more than 7st. is first jockey for Lord Rosebery and other owners with horses at Park Lodge, Newmarket.

In every way he is an ideal rider. He never bustles his mounts in the early stages of a race, but allows them plenty of time to find their stride, and then calls on them for a burst of speed at the finish.

He acknowledges his indebtedness to H. Wragg for his teaching. Wragg, in the opinion of Smith, represents all that is best where riding is concerned.

Weight does not trouble him, nor do his employers care greatly if he puts on a few pounds. At a little over 1st. he will still have a few pounds advantage over Gordon Richards.

His Chief Pastime

He has never been inside a Turkish bath in his life. ("Touch wood," he says) and hopes that he will never need to do so. Exercise is his chief pastime—and he enjoys it.

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NEW WORLD RECORD FOR POLE VAULT

Bill Graber's Magnificent Effort
On His Old Record

Santa Barbara, California,
April 23.

A new world record for the pole vault was set up to-day by Bill Graber, of Ontario, California, who cleared the bar at 14 feet 5 1/2 inches.

Graber was also the holder of the previous record of 11 feet 4 1/2 inches, which he established in July, 1932.

ATHLETIC SPORTS AT MUNICH

PREPARATIONS FOR
BRITISH VISIT

ANGLO-GERMAN CLASH
IN AUGUST

Munich, May 2.

Preparations are already being made for the meeting of the German and British athletic teams at Munich on August 11.

In order to mark the occasions, special festivities will be held under the name of "The New Germany's Festival Summer 1935."

Over 100,000 Munich residents will take part in Bavarian costumes in the various pageants and carnival processions, while an open air dancing competition and a great aviation display are also being arranged. Trans-Ocean Kno Min.

CRICKET AT HOME

COMPLETE LIST
OF FIRST-CLASS
MAY FIXTURES

SOUTH AFRICANS' TOUR

MEET CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY
THIS MORNING

Home cricket started last Wednesday when the South Africans opened their tour against Leicester.

2.—Lord's—Middlesex v. Lancashire. Worcester.—Worcestershire v. Sussex.

3.—Leamington—Gloucestershire v. Yorkshire. Leicester.—Leicester v. Hampshire.

Oxford.—Oxford University v. Gloucestershire. Cambridge.—Cambridge University v. South Africans.

11.—Lord's—Middlesex v. Worcestershire. Oval.—Surrey v. South Africans.

Portsmouth.—Hampshire v. Kent. Chesterfield.—Derbyshire v. Warwickshire.

Leicester.—Leicestershire v. Sussex. Nottingham.—Nottinghamshire v. Gloucestershire.

Taunton.—Somerset v. Northamptonshire. Oxford.—Oxford University v. Lancashire.

15.—Lord's—Middlesex v. Warwickshire. Oval.—Surrey v. Derbyshire.

Gravesend.—Kent v. Essex. Worcester.—Worcestershire v. Hampshire.

Cambridge.—Cambridge University v. Yorkshire. (Continued at Foot of Next Col.)

G. VON CRAMM TO PLAY AT WIMBLEDON

Germany's Leading Player For
Main Championships

Cologne April 13.

G. von Cramm, Germany's leading lawn tennis player, is to compete in the French Championships and also at Wimbledon.

He will be partnered in the mixed doubles by Frau Sperling, who reached the final of the final of the Wimbledon women's singles in 1931.

INDIA'S TENNIS PLAYERS SELECTED FOR WIMBLEDON

NO MALE MEMBERS CHOSEN

MISS LEILA RAW'S DISTINCTION

Madras. Mr. Brooke Edwards, Honorary Secretary, All-India Lawn Tennis Association, writes from Calcutta, that the Central Council of the All-India Lawn Tennis Association has decided to nominate the following players as India's official representatives at Wimbledon, and in Paris for 1935.

Wimbledon: Ladies' Singles; Miss Leila Row. Ladies' Doubles; Miss M. Parrott and Mrs. H. C. Stork.

Paris: Ladies' Singles; Miss Leila Row.

Miss Leila Row has been India's second best lady player for the past three years. Only Jenny Sandison is ranked above her.

SNOOKER LEAGUE

(Continued from Page 4).

The scores were—
Prison Officers R. E. Sergeant 61
Shaw 43 Chant 47
McTavish 32 Morris 47
Perry 46 Hodges 53
Hill 48 Jones 12

Total 188
Jones Wins for C.P.O. Club

Playing a clever game of snooker, Jones, of the Chief and Petty Officers' Club, beat Brotherstone, of the Dockyard Police, in the deciding game to give his club the victory by the odd game. All the other games were very even.

The scores were—
C and P.O. Club Dockyard Police
Randall 21 Stafford 46
Savage 55 Martin 30
Ingram 20 Bellamy 53
Muspratt 38 Philpott 29
Jones 54 Brotherstone 26

Total 198

Hove.—Sussex v. Nottinghamshire. Oxford.—Oxford University v. South Africans.

18.—Lord's—M.C.C. v. South Africans. Nottingham.—Nottinghamshire v. Kent.

Manchester.—Lancashire v. Worcestershire. Hove.—Sussex v. Warwickshire.

Gloucester.—Gloucestershire v. Yorkshire. Derby.—Derbyshire v. Leicestershire.

Frome.—Somerset v. Essex. Northampton.—Northamptonshire v. Hampshire.

Cambridge.—Cambridge University v. Minor Counties (provisional).

22.—Lord's—Middlesex v. Somerset. Oval.—Surrey v. Warwickshire.

Swansea.—Gloucestershire v. Worcestershire. Oxford.—Oxford University v. Yorkshire.

Cambridge.—Cambridge University v. Nottinghamshire. Brentwood.—Essex v. Sussex.

Gloucester.—Gloucestershire v. Lancashire. Southampton.—Hampshire v. South Africans.

23.—Lord's—Middlesex v. South Africans. Birmingham.—Warwickshire v. Kent.

Southampton.—Hampshire v. Worcestershire. Kettering.—Northamptonshire v. Gloucestershire.

Leamington.—Leicestershire v. Lancashire. Leicester.—Leicestershire v. Lancashire.

Nottingham.—Nottinghamshire v. Somerset. Bristol.—Gloucestershire v. Surrey.

Brentford.—Essex v. Derbyshire. Cambridge.—Cambridge University v. Mr. J. Daniell's XI.

29.—Lord's—Middlesex v. Essex. Oval.—Surrey v. Gloucestershire.

Cardiff.—Gloucestershire v. Kent. Sheffield.—Yorkshire v. Worcestershire.

Birmingham.—Warwickshire v. Northamptonshire. Ilkeston.—Derbyshire v. South Africans.

Nottingham.—Nottinghamshire v. Hampshire. Hove.—Sussex v. Lancashire.

Oxford.—University v. Leicestershire.

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MEDALS FOR CHILDREN

Governor's Address To Local Schools

JUBILEE MEMENTOS

Gift medals commemorating the Jubilee were distributed to Hong Kong school children on Monday morning, when the Headmasters of the various schools read an address prepared by His Excellency the Governor and circulated to all the schools in the Colony. The address was as follows:

This year the whole of the great British Empire will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the accession of our beloved King George V to the throne and in all parts of the Empire there will be great rejoicings that His Majesty has been spared still to reign over us.

The British Empire is one of the greatest empires that the world has ever seen and it extends to the most distant parts of the earth. It comprises many races and many creeds and yet it shows a wonderful unity in its great loyalty to that Empire and more especially to the Throne.

The words "God Save The King" which are constantly repeated throughout the Empire are no empty formula; they come from the hearts of His Majesty's subjects all of whom earnestly hope that he will long reign over us.

The loyalty and devotion of his subjects are based not merely on long tradition, not merely on the fact that the King upholds the principles of Liberty and Justice, but also, on the firm knowledge that he regards himself as, and is in fact, the Father of his people. He has a great knowledge of the joys and sorrows of his subjects throughout his vast Empire and readily shows his sympathy there-with.

In these days when the idea of service is universally stressed the King consistently sets a noble example and has indeed never spared himself in his determination to serve his people to the utmost of his power.

In this work he has always had the whole-hearted support of our gracious Queen Mary who, throughout the twenty-five years during which he has reigned has served His Majesty with true wifely devotion and co-operated with him in untiring consideration of his subjects. They both have well earned and possess in full the love of their people.

The future of our Empire will rest largely with its Youth of to-day and I appeal to you all to maintain the best traditions of the past and to emulate the great example shown by our beloved King and Queen in upholding these traditions and in doing their utmost to work for and serve their subjects and the great Empire over which they reign.

Sd. W. PEEL

Governor.

Hong Kong, 6th May, 1935.

NAVAL OFFICERS HONOURED

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M. Marini, long the inspector of police in Lille, one of the largest French cities, is seen being guarded by a gendarme as he faces trial on the charge of having directed gang activities by night while ostensibly seeking to track them by day. The trial provided France with a political sensation.

New York Stock Market

WYATT'S SECOND CENTURY

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A splendid century by Andy Sandham enabled Surrey to beat Somerset on the first innings at the Oval. Wellard, the visitors' fast bowler, contributing 99 towards Somerset's total.

Surrey—341 (Wellard 99) and 253 for 6 dec.

SOUTH AFRICANS WIN
The South Africans continued in winning vein yesterday by severely trouncing Leicesters by 170 runs. Crisp, their fast bowler, and Langton, their medium-paced spin bowler, wreaking havoc to secure 10 wickets between them for 39 runs.

South Africans—312 and 214 for 3 dec. Leicesters—123 (R. J. Crisp 5 for 40 and A. B. C. Langton 5 for 48).

SUSSEX BEATEN
Glamorgan beat Sussex by three wickets in their match at Cardiff.

Sussex—238 and 232. Glamorgan—310 and 211 for 7.

OXFORD'S SUCCESS
Oxford University opened their cricket season by defeating Worcestershire by an innings and 13 runs at Oxford. Singleton taking 5 for 59.

SINFIELD'S BIG INNINGS
Oxford University—239. Gloucestershire beat Warwickshire on the first innings at Birmingham. R. E. S. Wyatt, the Warwick and England skipper, scoring his second century of the season, while Dolly and Collin secured centuries in the second innings.

Warwickshire—228 (R. E. S. Wyatt not out 103) and 388 for 7 dec. (Dolly 100 and Collin 105 not out).

Gloucestershire—360 (Sinfield 141 not out) and 165 for 4 (Hammond 65 not out).

EMIGRANTS TO SUYUAN

More than 450 prospective settlers left Peiping last week for Paoou, Suyuan, where they will be assigned homesteads and given a chance to establish themselves during the summer.

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Our New York Office Cables: After the market has closed, the Senate in a surprise vote passed the Patman Bonus Bill. The question now is whether the Senate can override the veto on which recent opinion was evenly divided, but now believed to be likely. Naturally, greenback payment is inflationary and should be reflected in the market.

E. A. Pierce and Co's Report
In their market report, the American Oriental Finance Corporation, correspondents for Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company of New York state—

"Stocks: The undertone to-day was firm, with traders awaiting Washington developments. Investment demand was smaller."

"Rubber: The market continues quiet, with no speculative interest in evidence. Some interest was shown by factories, but most traders are awaiting developments in the automobile strike. The London market was dull, but steady. The Trade feels that the restriction should show results by the end of the second quarter."

"Sugar: Actuals were steady. The 'spot' quotation was 325 cents, while June-July shipment of Philippine sugars was sold at 340 cents. Futures advanced on Trade buying. The tone of the market has improved."

"Cotton: Domestic price-fixing is causing firmness in July options, while sentiment continues mixed. The market is awaiting an announcement regarding the Government's cotton crop policy."

"Grains: With the exception for a brief period early in the session, all grains were on the down grade to-day, with a poor rallying power. Demand was limited, whilst there was a considerable amount of liquidation owing to favourable weather conditions."

Latest Quotations

The following quotations have been received by Reuter.

	Prev. To-day's
N. Y. London cross-rate	4.84% 4.83%
N. Y. Cotton	
July	11.74 11.78
N. Y. Rubber	
July	11.66 11.70
Chicago Wheat	
July	96% 94%
Chicago Corn	
July	83% 81%
Montreal Silver	
December	76.70 75.70
Silver Official	73 72%

Dow Jones Averages	
30 Industrials	110.53 109.79 74 off
20 Rails	20.42 20.37 55 off
20 Utilities	18.59 18.45 14 off
44 Bonds	95.44 95.24 17 off
11 Commodity Index	59.06 58.62 44 off
Leading Stocks	
Amer. Smelting	42%
Anbun	19%
Case, J. I.	53%
Elco & Sh	6%
Gen Motors	30%
Int. Tel. & Tel	6%
Montgomery Ward	26%
Nat. Distillers	24%
N. Y. Central	15%
U. S. Steel	31%

Personal Pars

Dr. A. Kruppa, of Messrs. Jensen and Co. accompanied by Mrs. Kruppa and their son, sailed for the United States last night by the Dollar liner President Cleveland.

Mr. S. S. Perry was a passenger yesterday by the President Cleveland, en route to the United States.

THE ROYAL FAMILY FOUR AMBASSADORS OF THE EMPIRE

THE King and Queen, who are 69 and 67, respectively, have four living sons and one daughter. Their youngest son, Prince John, died in 1919 at the age of 13.

The heir to the Throne is the Prince of Wales, who will be 41 on June 23 this year. Although two of his brothers have married, the Prince of Wales, like the Duke of Gloucester, the King's third son, remains a bachelor.

The first of the King's sons to marry was his second son, the Duke of York, who in 1923 wed Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the 14th Earl of Strathmore.

They have two daughters, Princess Elizabeth Alexandra Mary, of York, who celebrated her ninth

birthday on April 21, and Princess Margaret Rose, of York, who will be five years of age on August 21.

Only Daughter

Their Majesties' only daughter is the Princess Royal, formerly known as Princess Mary, who in 1922 married Viscount Lascelles, now Earl of Harewood.

Their first child, George Henry Hubert, later to become Viscount Lascelles, is the first grandson of the King and Queen. He was 12 years of age on February 7.

The Princess Royal and Viscount Lascelles have another son, Gerald David, who will be 11 years next August.

The third of the King's sons is Prince Henry, Duke of Gloucester, who represented His Majesty at the Centenary of the State of Victoria. He is 35.

The Fourth Son

The fourth son is Prince George, Duke of Kent, whose marriage last November to Princess Marina of Greece was one of the most brilliant events witnessed in London for many years. The Duke is 33 years of age.

The King has two sisters living: Princess Victoria and Queen Maud of Norway; an uncle, the Duke of Connaught; and two aunts, Princess Louise and Princess Beatrice, mother of ex-Queen Ena of Spain.

KING AND QUEEN SPEND QUIET DAY AT THE PALACE

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where he will receive members of the Diplomatic Corps at a levee and reception. The Prime Minister and the Brazilian Ambassador, as Doyen of the Corps, will make addresses to the King, who will reply, returning their thanks to all those countries who have congratulated him upon the attainment of the Silver Jubilee.

TELEGRAMS POUR IN
Telegrams from all parts of the Empire and from communities abroad continue to be received at the Palace in their hundreds.

About £10,000 will be available for charity as the result of the sale of the grand stand seats for the public procession. Of the 26,000 available seats 6,000 had been placed at the disposal of British Charities Association and any surplus after meeting the cost of erecting the other 20,000 will also go to charity.

FURTHER PAGEANTRY
There will be further pageantry this week when to-morrow, H.M. the King proceeds to Westminster Hall to receive the Loyal Address from both Houses of Parliament—British Wireless Service.

HIGH TRIBUTE PAID TO POLICE

The complete success with which the Jubilee crowds were goodly and unobtrusively handled by the police aroused general admiration, especially among the visitors to London.

Yesterday, the King sent a message of appreciation and thanks for the excellent police arrangements made for his visit to St. Paul's, and for the safety and comfort of the public, to the Commissioner of Police for the City of London—British Wireless Service.

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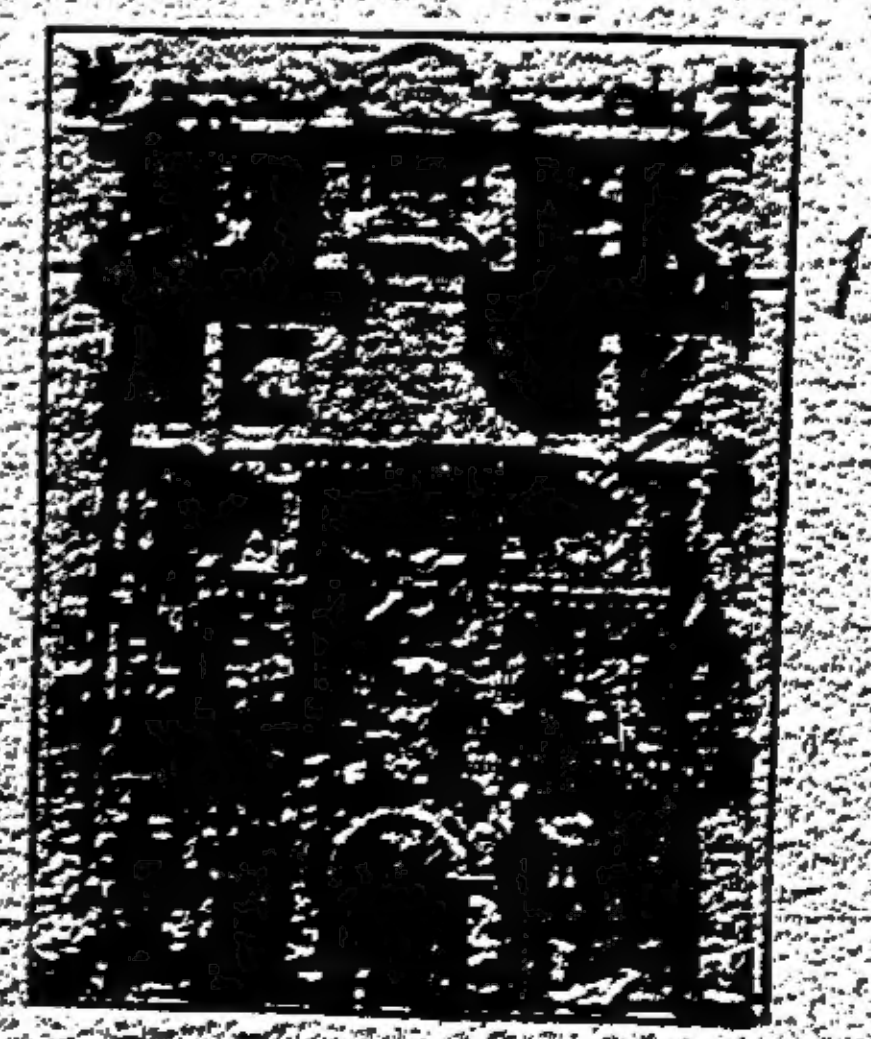
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WHITEAWAY LAIDLAW

The China Mail

Hong Kong, Wednesday, May 8, 1935

Navy In London River

London, the greatest port in the world, sees but little of the Fleet which guards her trade. As a rule the Medway is better acquainted with warships than the Thames, but in connection with the Jubilee festivities London is to be made aware of sea-power. The Fleet which will be anchored off Southend during the third week of this month, includes some of the most famous vessels afloat. The Nelson and the Rodney will be there, the two great battleships which express the ideas of naval architects after the war, and so will the Hood, sole representative of a post-war battle cruiser—the largest warship afloat and possibly the most beautiful. With her will lie two vessels which by no means share her beauty but which embody the latest development in naval warfare, the aircraft carriers Furious and Courageous. There will also be a contingent of destroyers whose names, all beginning with the letter "F," indicate their modernity.

Thanks to Navy Weeks Britain's ships are more than mere names, and a good percentage of those who visit the aircraft carriers in the Thames will have memories of teas served on their immense decks. But it is one thing for Londoners to visit the Fleet at Portsmouth and Chatham and another for them to welcome it in their own waterway. It is 15 years since the Fleet last went to the mouth of the Thames, there to land the sailors who headed the victory march through London. Ten years earlier occurred that memorable visit which first enabled Londoners to see the Dreadnoughts about which they had heard so much. Some readers, now middle-aged, will recall the youthful enthusiasm with which they boarded the monsters and walked between the decks up and down endless flights of steps, and marvelled at the long barrels of the big guns. On that occasion vessels went as far as Westminster. This year it is not proposed to send ships up beyond the Pool, but it would be a happy thought if some element of the fleet—even if it be only some of the big ships—launched—could also be moored under the shadow of Big Ben.

A Brilliant Soldier

The death of Lord Dundonald revives memories of some of the outstanding incidents of the South African War, which, if it appears a small affair by com-

parison with the great war of 1914, put an enormous strain upon the military resources of this country. After the first checks the war became very much a matter of improvisation, and Lord Dundonald was one of the people who were given the task of improvising. Refused a command by the authorities at Home, he sought service from Sir Redvers Buller, then in command in the field, making his way to South Africa at his own expense. He proved an inspired leader of the Irregular Horse, of which he was placed in command. That body of light cavalry was uniquely equipped to deal with the elusive Boer horsemen by tactics much resembling their own.

South Africa gave great opportunities to the man of resource, but throughout his career Lord Dundonald has shown himself to have the equipment and the individuality for a difficult task. He brought the news of the fall of Khartoum and the death of Gordon to headquarters in Egypt when he could only find the track across the desert by his knowledge of the stars. Many years later he took an unconventional course when he publicly criticised the interference by politicians in the affairs of the Canadian Militia, of which he was then in command. If that ended his active career with the Army it did not prevent him rendering conspicuous service in the Great War by his revelation of the "secret plan" of his grandfather, which led to the use of smoke screens by the Navy. Lord Dundonald had lived into a generation that could have little memory of his most brilliant achievements, but there were days when his name had almost as much glamour as that of Lord Kitchener as an organiser of successful war.

MILITARY TAILOR GAOLED

Rough Material Illegally Pawned

Kwan Yau, a 26-year-old tailor, was sentenced to terms totalling 14 weeks' hard labour when he appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on 14 charges of larceny by bailie, and illegal pawning.

Detective Sergeant Davies, of the Water Police Station, stated that the defendant was a tailor in the Whitfield Barracks and that he had had a lot of work to do for seven Indian gunners of the 1st Mountain Battery, but he had pawned all the material to the value of \$33, which had been supplied by the complaints. Defendant pleaded that the complainants had not paid him for the work so in order to get money for food and sewing articles he had pawned the material.

HERE, THERE — EVERYWHERE

NEWSPAPERS IN PARLIAMENT

Books, newspapers and letters may not be read by M.P.'s in the House. That is a very old rule. It has been changed in the past to allow members to refer to books or letters when they are preparing to speak; but the ban on newspapers has remained.

Sir Dennis Herbert gave a ruling precedent. He was asked by Lord Winterton whether it was in order for M.P.'s to read newspapers during a debate.

He ruled that to read newspapers would not be regarded as out of order if the debate in progress was about something the newspaper in question had printed.

OVERRULED

At one time it was strictly out of order for an M.P. to read an extract from a newspaper in the course of a speech. It is now quite a common practice.

The right to do so was won in 1840. A member was called to order by the Speaker for reading an extract from a newspaper.

Sir Robert Peel, maintaining that the matter was relevant to the debate, protested against the ruling, and the majority of the House agreed that the speech should go on.

Subsequent Speakers have held this as a precedent when the question has been raised.

Your Daily Smile!

"Never mind," she whispered. "I expect he'll play something you know in a minute."

His Fate

Teacher: "I feel sure your son has a political career in front of him."

Disturbed Mother: "What would you advise?"

The Solo

A violin and piano concert was in progress, and the music being played called for a number of solo efforts by the violinist. During one of these, a dear old lady leaned forward and poked the youngster at the piano with her umbrella.

"I know, sir," replied the youth, "but you seem to set such a small value on my time that I don't think it matters much," answered the young man.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Two cases of small-pox and three cases of diphtheria were reported in the Colony during the three days ended Monday.

The R.M.S. Empress of Asia left Vancouver last Saturday for Hong Kong via Honolulu and Japan ports, and is due here on May 22. She will sail the next day for Manila.

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived in Shanghai yesterday and will leave to-day for this port, arriving here on Friday morning. She will sail the same afternoon for Manila.

Three Chinese, Chan Wah, Yung Fai, and Li Wing-ping, were each fined \$5 by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning for not placing revenue stamps on bills for which payment of over \$20 had been received.

Six months' hard labour, in addition to 15 strokes of the birch, was imposed on Li Po, unemployed, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning for snatching a gold ear-ring from the ear of a Chinese woman, Leung Lin, at the junction of Western Street and Queen's Road West, while she was watching the Chinese procession.

That they had come to Hong Kong to witness the Jubilee celebrations was the excuse given by several. The leaders announced Wong Chuen and Lan Sui Cho to Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Central Police Court this morning, when charged with returning from banishment before the expired period. They were, nevertheless, sentenced to three months' and nine months' hard labour respectively.

For a breach of the deportation order Cheng Chan was sentenced to five months' hard labour by Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Central Police Court this morning. Defendant was banished for five years early this year and said that he had returned to Hong Kong to collect some money that was owing him by a friend.

THE PALACE CLIQUE IN CAIRO

POSSIBILITIES OF A REGENCY THE POLITICAL SITUATION EXAMINED

(By Sir Percival Phillips)

CAIRO. Supporters of these changes have naturally been hailed by the Wafd as proof of its support by the Government.

Grave Menace To Security

Labour is now being organised by the Wafd. The party was permitted to hold a Congress two months ago, which was a sensational success. Among the resolutions passed was one demanding the immediate return of the country to the Constitution of 1923. Shortly afterwards the Wafd created what it calls the Higher Council of Labour, "to improve the condition of the artisan class" by forming trade unions.

The Wafd Labour Council is intended to supplant the Labour Bureau set up by the Government, which deals with all economic questions affecting the workers. This scheme for organising labour has been denounced as a political manoeuvre, which it undoubtedly is, despite the denials of the party leaders. There is no doubt that the new unions will be manipulated through the "Higher Council" as a part of the political machine.

If the Wafd is permitted to carry out this plan of using Labour for its own ends it will become a very grave menace to internal security, as the largest employers of labour in the country are the public services. Any political crisis that might arise in the future will be rendered still more serious by the danger of a general strike.

The record of the Wafd in office is convincing proof of what may be expected if it is permitted to return to power. There will again be general disorganisation of the administration, due to its demagogic form of government; the provincial authorities will again be at the mercy of local deputies, and dislocation of finance will inevitably follow. During the last Wafd regime there was wild speculation, in which the Government lost nearly £10,000,000 on the cotton market during the first six months of 1930.

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PICKPOCKET TAKEN RED-HANDED

Detective Sees Him Steal Watch

FOUR MONTHS' GAOL FOR UNEMPLOYED

For the theft of a watch and chain valued at \$10, Chen Ping, a 36-year-old unemployed, was this morning sentenced to four months' hard labour by Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Central Police Court.

Defendant was seen by a detective in Queen's Road yesterday peering bystanders' pockets. He also felt them, which aroused the suspicion of the detective. The defendant very cleverly detached the complainant's watch and chain without his knowledge, but was arrested by the detective, who was just behind him.



"I can't get used to shooting in this place! Remember the time when I shot tigers in Uganda?"

"But there are no tigers in Uganda."

"Not now—I shot them all."

GENERAL CHIANG REORGANISES KWEICHOW PROVINCIAL GOVT.

LANDMARKS IN KING GEORGE'S LIFE AND REIGN

Momentous Happenings
In His 69 Years

DISASTERS AND WARS

1863.—Born, Marlborough House, June 3.
1877.—Naval Cadet, training ship Britannia, Dartmouth.
1879-1882.—World Cruise in H.M.S. Bacchante.
1883.—Entered Navy as Midshipman.
1891.—Created Duke of York. Seriously ill from typhoid.
1892.—Death of elder brother, Duke of Clarence; became Heir Presumptive.
1893.—Married Princess Mary of Teck—July 6.
1894.—Edward (Prince of Wales) born—June 23.
1901.—Death of Queen Victoria. Became Duke of Cornwall: 45,000 miles Empire tour; Opened first Parliament of Australian Commonwealth.
Made "Wake up England" Speech, London Guildhall, December 5.
Created Prince of Wales.
1905.—Visited India.
1907.—Admiral R. N.
1910.—Succeeded to Throne on death of King Edward, May 6.
1911.—Crowned Westminster Abbey—June 22.
Visited India; received homage of Princes at Delhi Durbar. Parliament Bill crisis. Assented to creation of Liberal Peers.
1914.—Summoned Home Rule Conference.
European War Clouds—July. Appeal to Czar to stop Russian mobilisation.
War declared August 4.
1914-1918.—Visits to Navy, Army, Hospitals and munition workers. Divested enemy Sovereigns and Princes of British Orders.
Thrown from charger in France and injured. Changed family name of Wettin to Windsor.
1919.—Silver Wedding—July 5.
Armistice Signed—November 11.
Called National Reconstruction Conference.
1919.—Youngest child, Prince John, died aged 13—January 18.
Versailles Peace Treaty—June 28.
Sign by King—October 10.
Great silence instituted—November 11.
1920.—Unveiled Cenotaph: Chief Mourner at burial of "Unknown Soldier," Westminster Abbey—November 11.
1921.—Opened Northern Ireland Parliament in Belfast; and made "forgive and forget" appeal to Irishmen.
Irish Peace Signed; Free State Government set up.
1921.—Only daughter, Princess Mary, married Viscount Lascelles—February 1.
1923.—First grandson, Hon. George Lascelles born—February 7.
Duke of York married Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon—April 28.
1924.—King opened Empire Exhibition at Wembley—First Broadcast Speech.
1925.—Mediterranean cruise after attack of influenza. Death of Queen Alexandra—November 20.
1926.—First granddaughter, Princess Elizabeth of York, born—April 21.
General Strike.
Appeal to nation for lasting industrial peace.
1928.—Announcement of King's sudden illness, November 21.
1929.—May 9. First court for 29 years over which a Queen had presided in the absence of the King.
July.—Second operation performed.
May 30.—The King's relapse.
1930.—January. King fulfils first public engagement after his illness, opening Naval Conference.
The R-101 disaster.
1931.—April. A further illness.
August.—The National Crisis.
The King invites Mr. Ramsay MacDonald to form National government and as he had the sense of style he adopted a matter-of-fact everyday manner.
September.—Great Britain leaves the Gold Standard.
1932.—Christmas Day. The King broadcasts to the Empire.
1933.—June. Opens World Economic Conference.
Welcomes late King Falasi.
1934.—September. Attends launching of Queen Mary—Bentley's numerical scale and his limits. He sat massively be-

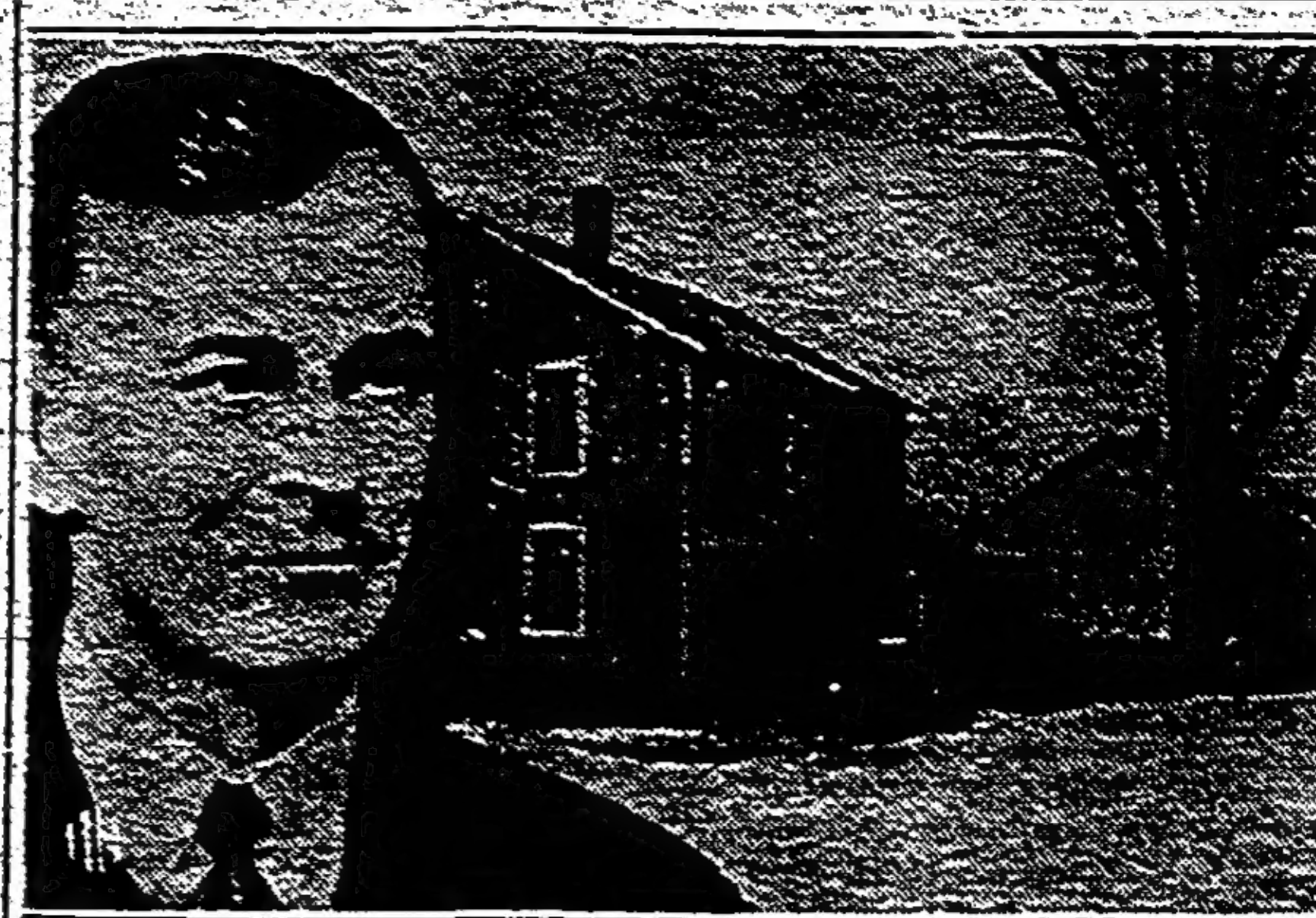
To-day's Short Story.

History Of The Brain Specialist Dr. Bl.

By Lion
Fenchtwanger

THE brain specialist, Dr. Bl. was highly respected by his colleagues.
His great reputation was due above all to the exactness of his researches, to the incorruptibility with which he traced important and desired conclusions back to the remotest sources of possible error. Anyone else with his gifts would have made a career for himself; he continued to occupy the chair at a small university.
The fault lay with his caustic temperament. Perhaps it was his odd appearance that made him so cantankerous; for he carried a gigantic bearded head on a diminutive trunk. His manner towards his colleagues was marked by indifference, sometimes by positive dislike.
Except to talk shop, he scarcely ever opened his mouth, and if he did, he was uncompromising in his opinions, terse and to the point in his comments on the world about him. Moreover, when past his youth, he married a woman of an inferior station in life; she was a waitress in the restaurant where he used to snatch his hurried meals. He made no concealment of the fact that he felt happier in his wife's society than in that of his estimate colleagues.
Thus his fiftieth birthday came and went without causing any remark, and it seemed that he would descend, after closing his days without distinction, to an undistinguished grave. But suddenly the rumour spread that Professor Bl. had made a discovery which might be expected to give a new turn to life throughout the entire world.
It was not easy to ascertain how the rumour arose. Presumably Dr. Bl. had spoken to a younger scientist of the instrument upon which he was working; no more than a hint, probably. But a hint from him, as even his enemies allowed, was likely to have more foundation than the arrogant assertions of other men in scientific reports or other such publications.
Professor Bl. had, if rumour was to be trusted, constructed an apparatus by means of which it was possible to take observations of the cerebral activity of living persons with sufficient accuracy to give an estimate of each person's intelligence. The name of the instrument was intelligence-photometer.
The medical journals discussed Dr. Bl.'s invention, and soon the daily papers also. Many prominent men of the political, economic and scientific worlds read about the intelligence-photometer with distinct uneasiness. Literary, artistic and musical personages, on the other hand, were undismayed; for it was the fashion of the day to ask nothing more of them than a mysterious, nebulous something which was called reativeness but was not susceptible of further definition and had certainly nothing to do with intelligence. Professor Bl. maintained an obstinate silence.
Perhaps it was precisely this silence of his that made people talk more and more and with ever-increasing excitement about the intelligence-photometer—until at last it even came to the ears of the dictator of the country.
He summoned the physiologist to his presence. Dr. Bl. regarded the dictator as a species of gifted undeveloped boy, though certainly his gifts had suffered from the exercise of power; for he shared the opinion of the German philosopher that power makes stupid. Small, informal and bearded, he confronted the man whose brazen, domineering mask was adopted by his country as the symbol of greatness.
The dictator was accustomed in his dealings with people to put on a rigid and high-and-mighty air. But he saw at once that it would be no use going down with this tiny dwarf, MacDonald to form National government and as he had the sense of style he adopted a matter-of-fact everyday manner.
This did not quite come off, but the little man noted the attempt with grim satisfaction.
"They tell me," said the dictator, coming to the point at once, "that by means of your instrument you can measure a person's intelligence." He sat massively be-

hind his enormous desk, but his voice came lightly from his well-chiselled mouth. "Can you do that?" he asked casually.
Professor Bl. answered: "Yes, I can," just as casually.
Naturally, the dictator was sceptical at the outset. The expert opinion, which lay before him, was neither credulous nor incredulous. Perhaps it was the professor's casual, precise tone that swept away his disbelief.
"That is a possibility," he said civilly, "which might have great importance for the welfare of the State and the nation."
Professor Bl. was silent—clearly because the remark was too obvious a one to merit a reply. The dictator did not find conversation with this sea-urchin very easy. The simplest way was to be direct with him. "And so," he went on drily, "if I send certain men to you you can furnish clear analytical formulae of their intelligence?"
"I can," replied the professor. "I had better tell you," said the dictator, "to avoid any misunderstanding, what I mean by intelligence."
"Do," said Professor Bl.
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Andrew T. Moore (next), of Burlington, Pa., has bought the entire town of Tannerytown, N. Y., near Tonnawanda, to get possession of facilities of what were once the world's largest tanneries. He is moving to town and re-employing men to supply the increased demand for leather.

JAMBORALLY TO-DAY

Programme For Valley
Function

GOVERNOR TO TAKE SALUTE

His Excellency the Governor (Chief Scout of Hong Kong) and Lady Peel (President of the Hong Kong Girl Guides) have promised to attend the Jamborally of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides to be held this afternoon at Happy Valley.
His Excellency is due to arrive at 4 p.m., when he will witness a march past of Scouts, Girl Guides, (Continued on Page 12)

PASSPORT WITHOUT PROPER VISA

Russian Lady Fined

Miss Julia-Saery Soryk, a Russian, was this morning fined \$10 by Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Central Police Court for being in the Colony without a valid passport.
Detective-Sergeant Mottram said that defendant had a passport, but that it had expired. She had been in the Colony before and had gone to Manila on this passport but it had not been visé'd for Hong Kong in Manila.
He did not press the case and asked that the matter be dealt with leniently.

GENERAL WANG TO GO ABROAD

"PROMOTION" OFFER IS DECLINED

YUNNAN CLEAN-UP IS NEXT
CONTEMPLATED

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day.
General Chiang Kai-shek's efforts to reorganise the Kweichow Provincial Government have been finally achieved without civil war or even the least opposition, as General Wang Chia-lich, the Chairman of the Kweichow Provincial Government, has given up his political and military duties and will take a trip abroad, probably to Paris, to recuperate.

The Communists afford General Chiang his excuse to send troops to Kweichow. Then General Hsieh Yoh was appointed Director of the Kweichow Pacification Headquarters. Meanwhile Chairman Wang was assured that his position would remain undisturbed.
General Wang was ordered to fight the Communists and lost more than half his men. With his forces thus greatly diminished, General Wang lost his military power. Then General Chiang asked him to accept an appointment as a senior staff officer in Nanking, with the rank of Lieutenant-General. Now, declining this "promotion," General Wang prefers to go abroad.

The next province to be reorganised is Yunnan, whose Chairman is General Lung Yun. General Chiang will fly to Yunnan to assist General Lung to fight the Reds; Nanking troops will be sent to Yunnanfu; and then the Provincial Government will probably be reorganised.
General Wu Chung-hsin is the new Chairman of Kweichow. Another loyal Nanking man will in future be appointed to head the Yunnan Government, according to current reports.

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Spectacular Effect Of
Illuminations

KOWLOON VIES WITH ISLAND
FOR BRILLIANCE

Peak Disappointing

"The magnificent waterfront and background which the island of Hong Kong provides" was fully utilised by those contributing to the illuminations over the Jubilee holidays. The lighting, as a whole, was extremely effective. Ordinarily the island provides a magic picture at night, with its strings of lights draping the contours of the hill; but during the period of the illuminations, with all the important buildings outlined or flood-lit, as in the case of the new Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank building, the effect was unique. Perhaps the most striking individual effort of the illuminations was the immense "God Save the King" standing out from the side of the hill in enormous letters. But that is only to mention one among many similar effects, though no others perhaps were so extravagantly carried out.
The general effect of the illuminations was best seen either from the harbour or from the Kowloon side. The Dockyard premises, including the giant crane picked out in outline and with an enormous crown hung from the apex, and a huge G.R. in red lights, were most effectively decorated. The flood-lit Bank, perhaps because of the contrast it effected against the brilliant strings of lights in Statue Square, stood out wonderfully well. And then right along the waterfront, the masses of illuminations extending unbroken all the way until the very western limits made a picture which will not be easily forgotten.

Peak Disappointing
The Peak district, generally, was a disappointment. Not many of the residential houses were illuminated, and an excellent opportunity was thus missed.

If the Hong Kong side was a striking spectacle, the Kowloon side seen from the water was no less so. The scheme of decoration carried out by the Wharf and Godown Co., consisting of the outlining of the whole mass of buildings in strings of lights, made a most effective display; while the tower of the Kowloon Canton Railway and the Star Ferry jetty, also outlined by thousands of lights, added considerably to the general effect. The other buildings along the front, notably the Peninsula Hotel, the Kowloon Hotel, and the Y.M.C.A., also provided their quota in an effective display.

Last night's fireworks display, provided by the Japanese community, was also a most entertaining show, the huge chrysanthemum-like star-

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Globe-Trotter Pays Tribute To H.K.

[To the Editor, "China Mail"]
SIR,—As a hardened globe-trotter and keen Britisher I think Hong Kong is to be heartily congratulated on the splendid Jubilee Manifestations put forward recently. These, in variety and beauty, spectacularly exceed the splendour of such similar functions that it has been my fortune to see in various capitals and countries in Europe. Much work and organising ability has been shown here in these events, the result being a highly creditable showing in this outpost of Empire. One is, particularly, pleased with what the Chinese have done to add, materially, to the general rejoicing; their day and night processions were unique. The international aspect and good will shown in these rejoicings must surely be most gratifying, such as the above mentioned Chinese activities, the Japanese fire-works display, the courtesies shown and paid by various Consular bodies and from Macao—even to the brave showing of flags on the humble fishing junks at Aberdeen.
The shipping made a particularly fine show, including His Majesty's vessels and merchant vessels of all nationalities, Chinese, Japanese, Dutch, Danish and Norwegian, with one marked exception, commented on by many, and that is that one vessel apparently one of His Majesty's Royal Fleet Auxiliary units, lay drab and sombre at her buoy in the harbour seemingly taking no part in the general colourful manifestations day or night, surely a strange feature in such an essentially British event, in which the whole community of every nationality joined, ashore and afloat.

JUBILEE

burst being particularly effective. And all the time the sky was being swept by the searchlights of the Fleet and the shore stations, and across the harbour, just beside the Blake Pier, two water-bots formed an arch of falling water, illuminated now by white and now by colour flood-lights.
Fairly like is an overworked word, but if ever it needed to be applied to the general effect of the illuminations in the Colony, the Jubilee was the occasion.

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*SOMALI	7,000	22nd June	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
MANTUA	11,000	29th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	14,500	13th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,000	20th July	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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RANCHI	17,000	24th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOUDAN	6,000	14th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Antwerp, Rotterdam & Hull.
NALDERA	15,000	7th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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MANTUA	11,000	30th May	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	10,000	20th May	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka.
NANKIN	7,000	8th June	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
*BANGALORE	6,000	11th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	14,500	13th June	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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THE PALACE CLIQUE IN CAIRO

(Continued from Page 8.)

Thus the situation in Egypt
to-day is even more uncertain
and full of dangerous possibili-
ties than it was last November,
when Great Britain intervened.
It is no secret that Nessim Pasha
has declared his inability to con-
tinue in office unless he is given
the free hand which was pro-
mised when he agreed to form
a non-political Cabinet with the
benevolent approval of Great
Britain.

Control Held By The King
The King obstinately refuses
to part with his favourite. He
remains in complete control,
despite his physical disabilities,
which prevent him from engag-
ing fully in his normal daily
routine. Nevertheless, he is able
to receive official visitors, and
recently he spent two hours in
conversation with the High Com-
missioner. His mind is as keen
as ever.

In these circumstances it
would not be surprising if the
King yielded to friendly pres-
sure, and consented to the
appointment of a Regency. He
is known to be averse from such
a step, but it is obvious that the
present state of affairs cannot
endure much longer. If he con-
tinues to retain Ibrahim Pasha at
the Palace the Prime Minister
may, as a last resort, be com-
pelled to insist upon a Regency.

CHINA'S SORROW

Another section of the dykes
in Shanghai is being threatened
by the rising force of the
Yellow River. The section near
Hankow is weakening.

HISTORY OF THE BRAIN SPECIALIST DR. BL

(Continued from Page 10.)

thought a great deal about them.
"I am a man made for belief," he
said.

Professor Bl. was pleased by this
remark. He found it straightfor-
ward and rational. Now he sat on
the terrace, below which lay the
garden and his restlessness passed
away. It would not be bad to go a
walk through the streets; but then,
he reflected, the stiff hats would be
there and he had no longer any de-
sire for them. So he sat still. He
thought of the people who had been
with him in recent years, his wife,
his assistants.

They pleased him. He got on
with them. He had got on even
with the dictator. The man did as
he must. It was going a bit far
certainly to want to have himself
corroborated even by him.
That same evening before his wife
returned and before he had spoken
to his assistants, Professor Bl. fell
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SUMMER SERVICE

Twice Weekly

12th June up till and including 30th October 1935.

		G.M.T.	Local Time
Wednesday	Amsterdam	D 05.40	06.00
	Leipzig	A 07.40	08.40 second breakfast
	Leipzig	D 08.10	09.10
	Bratislava	A 09.30	10.30
	Bratislava	D 10.30	11.30
	Budapest	A 10.40	11.40 Lunch
	Budapest	D 11.40	12.40
	Athens	A 15.50	17.50
Thursday	Athens	D 04.00	06.00
	Marsa Matruh	A 07.00	09.00 second breakfast
	Marsa Matruh	D 07.30	09.30
	Cairo	A 08.00	10.00 Lunch
	Cairo	D 10.00	12.00
	Gaza	A 11.20	13.20
	Gaza	D 11.50	13.50
	Baghdad	A 15.20	18.20
Friday	Baghdad	D 00.00	03.00
	Bushire	A 02.55	05.15 second breakfast
	Bushire	D 03.20	05.45
	Jask	A 06.30	10.15 Lunch
	Jask	D 07.15	11.00
	Karachi	A 10.45	16.15
	Karachi	D 11.15	16.45 tea
	Jodhpur	A 13.30	19.00
Saturday	Jodhpur	D 00.00	05.30
	Allahabad	A 02.15	08.45 second breakfast
	Allahabad	D 02.40	09.30
	Calcutta	A 06.45	12.45 Lunch
	Calcutta	D 07.30	13.20
	Rangoon	A 11.30	18.00
Sunday	Rangoon	D 23.30	06.30 second breakfast
	Bangkok	A 01.30	08.30
	Bangkok	D 02.00	09.00 Lunch
	Alor Star	A 05.15	12.30
	Alor Star	D 05.45	13.00
	Medan	A 07.00	13.30 refreshments
	Medan	D 08.20	15.00
	Singapore	A 10.45	17.15
Monday	Singapore	D 23.00	06.15
	Palembang	A 00.45	07.45
	Palembang	D 01.15	08.15 refreshments
	Batavia	A 03.00	10.30
	Batavia	D 04.00	11.30
	Bandung	A 04.30	12.00

Wednesday	Bandung	D 00.30	08.00
	Batavia	A 01.00	08.30
	Batavia	D 02.30	10.00
	Palembang	A 04.15	11.15 refreshments
	Palembang	D 06.15	12.15
	Singapore	A 07.15	14.30 Lunch
	Singapore	D 08.00	15.15
	Medan	A 10.30	17.00
Thursday	Medan	D 01.00	07.30
	Alor Star	A 02.30	09.45 second breakfast
	Alor Star	D 03.15	10.20
	Bangkok	A 06.45	12.45 Lunch
	Bangkok	D 07.30	13.20
	Rangoon	A 10.00	14.30
Friday	Rangoon	D 00.00	06.30
	Calcutta	A 04.15	10.15 second breakfast
	Calcutta	D 05.00	11.00
	Allahabad	A 08.00	13.30
	Allahabad	D 08.45	14.15 Lunch
	Jodhpur	A 12.15	17.45
Saturday	Jodhpur	D 00.30	06.00
	Karachi	A 03.00	08.30
	Karachi	D 03.30	09.00 second breakfast
	Jask	A 07.15	11.00
	Jask	D 08.00	11.45
	Bushire	A 11.15	14.30 Lunch
	Bushire	D 11.45	15.00
	Baghdad	A 14.45	17.45
Tuesday	Baghdad	D 02.00	06.00
	Gaza	A 06.45	08.45
	Gaza	D 07.15	09.20 second breakfast
	Cairo	A 08.30	10.30
	Cairo	D 09.30	11.30
	Marsa Matruh	A 11.15	13.15
	Marsa Matruh	D 11.45	13.25 Lunch
	Athens	A 15.00	17.00
Monday	Athens	D 06.00	08.00
	Budapest	A 10.30	11.30 Lunch
	Budapest	D 11.30	12.30
	Bratislava	A 11.45	12.45
	Bratislava	D 12.45	13.45
	Leipzig	A 14.15	15.15 tea
	Leipzig	D 14.45	15.45
	Amsterdam	A 14.55	17.15
	Amsterdam	D 17.30	19.10 St.
	London	A 20.15	22.20
	Amsterdam	D 20.30	21.30
	Paris	A 22.15	23.15
	Amsterdam	D 22.00	23.00
	Hamburg	A 20.50	20.40
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ill. The morning papers announced
that the illness was serious, the
evening papers that it was grave,
and the morning after, before his
wife saw him again, Professor Bl.
was dead. The dictator had paid
a visit in the course of the day and
had hourly bulletins brought him.
The great scientist was buried
with public honours and much
pomp.
Two weeks later came the tenth
anniversary of the day on which
the dictator had seized power. It
was a day of great splendour; his
enemies hated him with a peculiar
and well authenticated hate, for
they had little prospect now of at-
taining their ends.
Any many of them hated him
merely because they might no longer
hope to be his adherents. For
he had closed the list of his ad-
herents; there were so many that
he didn't care to have any more.
Earlier on the dictator had loved
these days of large acclamations;
they had been his support and cor-
roboration. Now he went through
them with a certain impatience;
they were no more than a political
expedient which in his heart he no
longer needed. He preferred the
short interval in the early after-
noon which he had to himself. He
spent half this time in gymnastic
exercises with his trainer, and then
after being massaged he reclined
alone in the small, cool room which
contained only a couch, a writing-
table and an armchair and was en-
tered by no one except one of his
secretaries.
He lay there exhausted, vacant,
in a pleasing indolence, with noth-
ing to vex him. Words of com-
mand came up half-muted from
the Square as detachments were
marched by, ready to do him hon-
our; in twenty-five minutes he had
to appear on the balcony and make
a speech; he had no idea what he
would say, but he knew it would
be the right thing and that loud
speakers would transmit his words
throughout the world.
He got up. Enveloped in his
wrap he walked across to the writ-
ing-table. There were mementoes
looked up in it, a collection only for
his own eye of foolish, trivial
things. A few letters, a uniform
button flattened by a bullet, an old
photograph. He loved these mementoes
and was happy rummaging
about among them; he felt stronger
when he was in physical contact
with his earlier days.
He took out a key and then an-
other key and then from a last and
inner most drawer he pulled out a
sealed envelope, just a fortnight
old. He knew well what was in it.
Perhaps it was only for the sake of
this envelope he had gone to the
writing-table.
He stood for minutes with the
unopened envelope containing the
formulas of the dead professor in
his hand. Then he picked up a
slender paper-knife. It would be
interesting to know what was in-
side. Experience and wisdom—
each had its theory.
Professor Bl., now dead, knew
something about that; had just
hinted at it. It might not have
been impossible to get Professor
Bl. now dead, to tell him more
about it. The dictator was no fool
and the professor had allowed him
talent. The logic of history had
imposed power upon him and
powerful man, who knows—he
might have been a great one.
From below came the tumult of
the crowd. Time to get dressed—
in fourteen minutes he had to make
his speech. It would assuredly do
his speech no good if he knew the
contents of the envelope. The dicta-
tor put down the paper-knife un-
used, and tore the envelope and its
contents into small pieces.
Then he walked through the large
staircase and out on to the balcony
and made his speech.
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KWANGTUNG TO START GLASS MANUFACTURE

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WOLFRAM MONOPOLY WILL PROVIDE FUNDS

[From Our Own Correspondent]
Canton, To-day.
A foreign firm in Hong Kong has
contracted to supply \$1,000,000
worth of machinery to the Exploitation
Department of the First Group
Army for the establishment of a
glass factory at the foot of White
Cloud Mountain, payment to be
made by instalments.

The First Group Army has taken
over the control and sale of tung-
sten or wolfram, the proceeds of
which will be used to pay for the
machinery of the glass factory. The
sale of tungsten is a Government
monopoly and yields large returns
every month.

It is stipulated in the contract
that the machinery shall be delivered
at Canton some time in the
Autumn and that the factory shall
turn out glassware one month after
completion. About 300 workers
will be employed.

The Exploitation Department of
the First Group Army is now
operating a sugar mill in Waichow
and will start more factories later.

VETERANS BONUS

PRESIDENTIAL VETO WARNING DISREGARDED

Immediate Payment Voted By Senate

POSSIBILITY OF NEW CURRENCY ISSUE

Washington, To-day.

Disregarding the warnings of
a Presidential veto the Senate
yesterday aligned itself with the
House of Representatives by
voting for an immediate cash
payment of the bonus for war
veterans, substituting the Vin-
son Bill (by which the Treas-
ury is to decide the means of
payment) by a compromise
proposed by Senator Harrison,
offering to exchange bonus
certificates for 3 per cent.
bonds.

The vote for the Vinson Bill
was carried by 54 votes to 30.
The Senate must now choose
between the Vinson and Pat-
man Bills, the latter of which
provides for the payment of the
bonus by the issuing of new
currency.—Reuter.

GERMANY'S AIR DEVELOPMENT

British Statement Expected Soon

London, To-day.

The Prime Minister, replying to
a Parliamentary question yester-
day, said that the Government was
very anxious to put the House and
the country in possession of all the
available information with regard
to Germany's air development. This
could not, however, be conveniently
done in the form of a White Paper.
As full a statement as possible
would be made early in the forth-
coming debate.—British Wireless
Service.

SHANGHAI "GOES BRITISH" ON JUBILEE DAY

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CHILDREN'S FETE

In the afternoon an unceasing
stream of traffic unloaded thousands
of youngsters of all nationalities at
Kiaochow Road Park for a children's
fete.

When night fell, Shanghai be-
came a city of enchantment. Many
British buildings were ablaze with
illuminations; searchlights from the
warships in harbour stabbed the
skies as they traced their cone-
shaped patterns; while the big
Chinese department stores on Nan-
king Road, with their myriad lights,
heightened the illusion of fairyland.

RACE COURSE CROWDED

Later in the evening, long before
the appointed hour of the military
and naval display at the Race
Course, which brought the official
celebrations of the day to a close,
the historic ground became the
venue for the biggest multitude ever
assembled together in the history
of Shanghai. Thousands of Chin-
ese were among the spectators, who
included people of every nationality.
Units of the Shanghai Volunteer
Corps, seamen and marines from
British warships in harbour, troops
of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers
and mounted Sikhs attached to the
Shanghai Municipal Police took
part in the display.

PAGEANT OF COLOURS

The programme included a
pageant depicting the handing down
of the Colour through the ages, and
a torchlight tattoo. Salutes were
taken by Admiral Sir Frederic
Dreyer, Commander-in-Chief of the
China Station, who was attended by
the leading military, naval and civil
officials.

Meanwhile thousands of cars
travelled through the city carrying
parties of sightseers to view the
illuminations, while all places of
amusement were filled with "re-
cord" crowds.—Reuter.

U.S. ENTRY INTO WORLD COURT

(Continued from Page 1)

taken by the United States in case
of the violation of the peace shall
rest on the Government of the
United States.

Senator Pope in his speech said
that mere negative action would
never suffice. "The world will not
bring peace and lay it in our laps,"
he continued. "We must conquer it
by constructive effort. Prevention
is far more important than trying
to stay out of a war after it has
started."

The Bill may not be debated
openly in the present Congress, as
Senator Pope has not requested im-
mediate action; but its controver-
sial nature will ensure discussion
throughout the country.—Reuter.

HITLER'S STATEMENT EAGERLY AWAITED

(Continued from Page 1)

It mattered little whence the pro-
posals came provided they were
concrete, practical, and fair.

With regard to the Navy, we were
proposing to negotiate, but we
should have to submit any pro-
posals by any nation to co-signa-
tures of the London and Washing-
ton treaties.—Reuter.

Two Processions To-day

The Chinese Procession will make
its third journey through the city
to-day, having left Belcher Street
at 11 a.m., while to-night the Lan-
tern Procession will make its se-
cond appearance, leaving West
Point at 7 p.m.

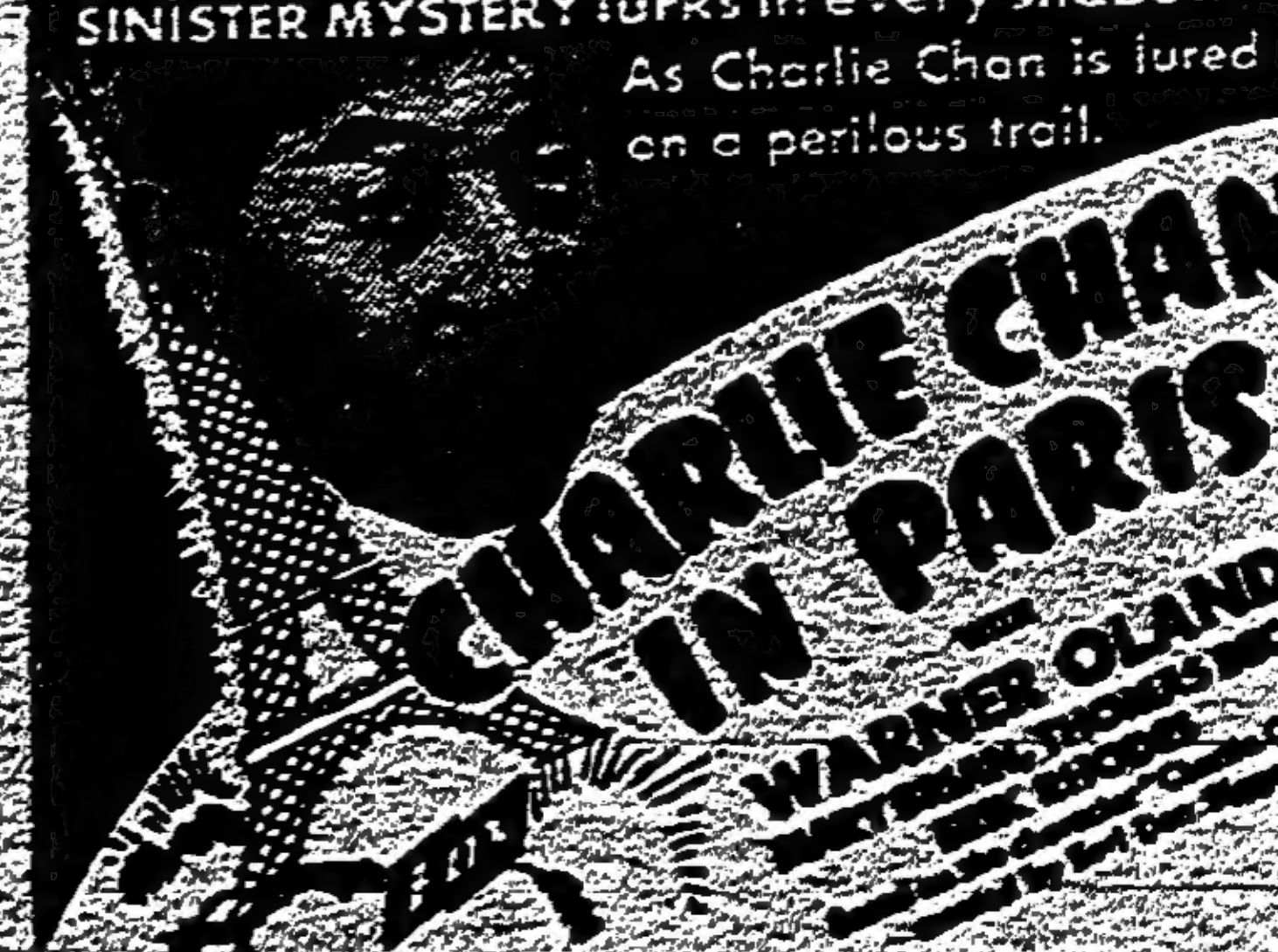
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